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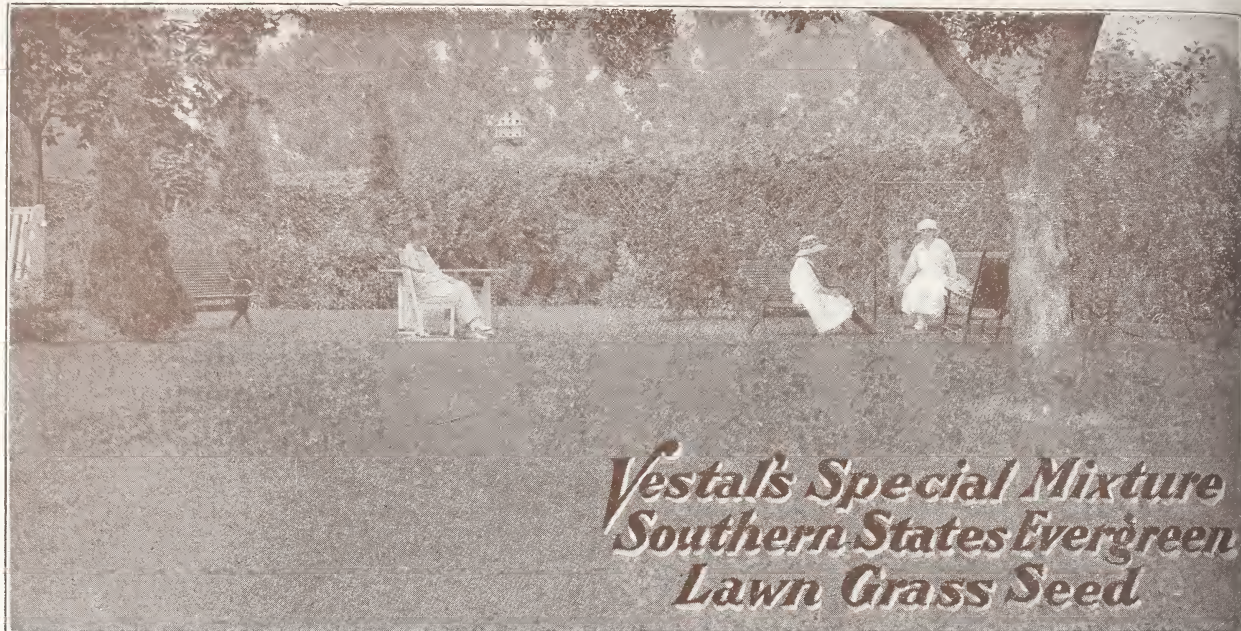
# Vestal Roses



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**Southern States Evergreen Lawn Grass Seed** For the convenience of those of our customers who object to the Bermuda Grass, we have decided to offer them this year **Southern States Evergreen Lawn Grass Mixture**. A mixture of the best grasses that exist for general planting in the Southern States. Most lawn grass mixtures are of little use in the South, as they burn out in dry summers.

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**WE GIVE CLOSE** personal attention to every part of our business and are always glad to assist our customers in every way we can.

**DON'T REQUEST** blooming plants with soil attached to roots sent by parcel post. It can't be done.

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## VESTAL ROSES AND HOW TO GROW THEM

"He who would have beautiful Roses in his garden must have beautiful Roses in his heart. He must love them well and always. He must have not only the glowing admiration, the enthusiasm and the passion, but the tenderness, the thoughtfulness, the reverence, the watchfulness of love." So wrote Dean Hole, the rosarian of beloved memory.

### WHO SHOULD PLANT ROSES

Everyone should plant Roses. There is no home, worthy of the name, where space could not be found for from ten to one hundred Rose bushes. If a renter, plant Roses; you will get returns in beautiful flowers in from two to three months. If a flat dweller, and you have three or more windows, you can plant ten or more Rose bushes in window boxes. The results will be a delight, and you can move the window boxes with other personal belongings, when moving day comes around. If a home owner, it matters not how pretentious or humble, nothing can make it more home-like, more attractive and inviting, than a well selected Rose planting. If a landlord, there is no improvement that can be made at so small an expenditure that will so quickly enhance the rental value and desirability of property, insuring permanent tenants, as a good Rose planting.

### SOIL

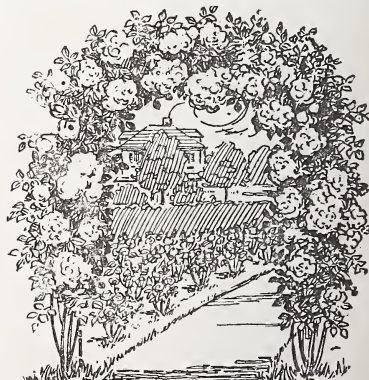
Amateurs sometimes think that planting Roses is a serious job and one to be approached with fear and trembling as to probable results. This is not at all true, as it is a job which does not need an expert, and may be done quickly.

While Roses may be grown in any good soil, they flourish better in a rather clay loam than they do in light or sandy soil. To those not acquainted with soils, it will be well to explain that almost any soil that is not sandy or gravel may be classed, in a general way, as clay, and if it is good enough to grow good farm crops or garden vegetables, it is good enough to grow Roses, and does not need the addition of any great quantity of manure. Application of enough manure to just cover the soil from sight is usually sufficient, unless the soil is quite poor to start with. Good stable manure is the best; it should not be too fresh, but at least partly rotted. If you can not procure this, the dried cattle and sheep manure that is now sold in sacks is good.

Many amateurs make the mistake of having their Rose beds too rich. We knew of one who took out the original soil to a depth of two feet, filled in the bottom of the trench with eight inches of manure, packed solidly, and finished with soil which was one-half manure. This is entirely too much manure, and Roses planted in such a bed would not be likely to remain healthy for any time. Even had he left out the manure at the bottom, the soil would have been too rich as one-fifth or one-fourth manure is enough. We do not advocate placing clear manure at the bottom of the bed, though some planters have had fair success in making beds that way. Any soil you get must come from the surface; that is, the first six inches of a good field or garden. It is not well to use chip dirt, woods' earth or rotted leaves with Rose soil; such material is good for many plants, but not for Roses. Of course, the manure used when Roses are planted will become exhausted and must be replaced by a top dressing of manure; or fine ground bone may be applied at the rate of three pounds to the square yard. As a rule, this top dressing should not be applied more often than once a year. If your soil is very poor or has been filled in with brick bats and refuse, as many city lots are, it would be best to remove it entirely to a depth of eighteen inches and fill with good soil that is fine and mellow and properly mixed with manure.



*Rose Trained as  
a Standard*



*Archway of Roses*



The best time to apply manures is just as the ground begins to freeze in the autumn; let it serve as a protection over winter and dig it in next spring. Even with the best care it may prove necessary at times, say after six or eight years, to renew the Roses or move the bed, adopting the farmer's principle of rotation of crops.

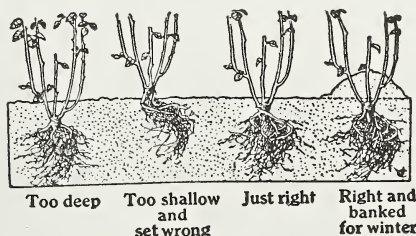
**TIME TO PLANT.** The proper time for planting in the various sections of the country largely depends, first upon the location, and, second, upon the character of the plant. In the warm climate, southern and southwestern states, in fact all sections where frosts are infrequent and the winters mild, pot-grown as well as dormant Roses may be planted in the late fall, as well as in the early spring. In the southern states fall planting of both these classes of Roses is considered desirable, but, if the conditions are such that it can not be accomplished, then in the early spring months they may be set out with entire safety.

### COMPARATIVE VALUE OF ROSES

Don't think any Rose too small to do well. The roots of one-year plants being carefully protected in pots, permits of the shipping and successful planting anywhere. Roses of this size are to be recommended for all Rose growing sections. If you wish the largest and best Roses for quick effect, then Roses of the two-year size from four to five-inch pots are to be recommended.

### ADVANTAGE OF POT GROWN ROSES

There is another advantage in planting pot-grown Roses; namely, that they can be planted at any time of the year. The ball of earth contains all of the fine fibrous roots, and when the plants are shipped transplanting can be done with no more injury to the plant than if the Rose had simply been removed to a larger sized pot. The growth continues just the same and the roots do not have to establish themselves, as is the case with the dormant plants. The pot-grown Rose, therefore, has many advantages over other Roses.



**MULCHING.** The main object being to retain the moisture rather than to enrich the soil, cultivate the garden once a week up to the middle of July, to maintain a dust mulch; after that, a liberal covering of "long" cow or horse stable manure that will not heat will accomplish this purpose best.

**HARDINESS.** Hardiness in a Rose is a matter of which no one can speak with positive certainty, because the condition of the weather as a rule prescribes the hardiness of a plant, as quite frequently plants that have been out year after year will be winter killed by unusual conditions. As stated elsewhere, the

hardiness of the different varieties of plants can be depended upon to be as near accurate as it is possible for any one to determine.

**WINTER PROTECTION.** Where the temperature gets below freezing, the less hardy Roses will require protection, and all of them will be the better for it, at least about the roots. Soon after the first frost, having hilled up the soil around the stems, cover the Rose beds all over with a 3 or 4-inch layer of good heavy stable manure, and over this a 6-inch layer of leaves, held in place by the most sightly material available. A 12-inch fence of poultry wire will keep the leaves in bounds nicely. If the leaves are not available, straw,



*Plants protected in a barrel covered with burlaps*

corn-fodder and even boxes put over the Roses to shed the rains, will protect from the cold, biting winds and the alternate freezing and thawing of early spring sunshine and cold nights; but do not smother the Roses, for if too tightly covered they will die. Remove the covering gradually in the spring when danger from frost is past.

**TREATMENT ON ARRIVAL.** When you receive the Roses, give them the greatest care; never expose the roots to the drying action of spring winds for a moment. A plant with bare roots exposed to the dry air is like a fish out of water. Should the plants, through delay in transit, come dried out, as occasionally happens, soak the balls of earth and roots in water; if the stems have dried out, after soaking the ball, bury the whole plant in damp earth for several days. This treatment may put them in good condition, while if they are planted when dried out there is danger of their dying.



*Straw overcoats for roses.*

## HOW TO PRUNE YOUR ROSES

Pruning is the art of improving the productive power and the appearance of a plant. It consists of two distinct operations. 1. The removal of dead, weak, overcrowded, and otherwise useless shoots. Unripe wood which in the spring will usually be found to have discolored pith, caused by the winter frosts, should be cut clean away at the base of the shoot. 2. *Pruning Proper*, the shortening of those shoots which are allowed to remain after the thinning-out process has been completed.

The most frequent errors made in pruning are: (1) leaving too many shoots when thinning out. (2) pruning severely the shoots of varieties which require little, if any, shortening; (3) pruning lightly the varieties which require severe pruning; (4) leaving Rose plants crowded with shoots and cutting these to a uniform length all over the plant in a similar way that a hedge is clipped.

In thinning out a shoot, it should be either cut clean away to the base of the plant, or to its starting point on the elder shoot from which it springs, as the case may be. When the plant has been pruned, the shoots should be left as nearly as possible equidistant from each other, and regularly arranged around it so that it presents a well-balanced appearance on all sides.—National Rose Society's Handbook on Pruning.

**ROSES HURT WITH THE WINTER.** When Roses are hurt with the winter, cut all the injured branches off down to the live wood, and if you have "Own Root Roses," and the roots are not hurt, they will soon throw up new shoots and bloom as well as ever.

## DISEASES AND INSECTS

**MILDEW.** This disease very frequently attacks the foliage of Roses, especially the Crimson Rambler. It is shown by a grayish crinkling appearance of the leaves and usually occurs after a change in the temperature. It can be checked to a certain extent by sprinkling the leaves with powdered sulphur immediately after its appearance, or better still, use the Bordeaux Mixture as a preventative.

Showing where to Prune

**RED SPIDER.** Is also a small insect indiscernible to the naked eye, and a frequent spraying with a strong hose is all that is necessary.

**ROSE BUG.** A familiar insect, appears in the earliest summer, sometimes in great quantities, and is very troublesome. It is a very destructive insect and usually feeds upon the white petals, but is easily destroyed, especially in the early morning, when they will readily fall into a vessel containing kerosene. They can be poisoned, but it is not a very desirable way to get rid of them. This is to spray with wood alcohol, which will kill any insect by contact, operates quickly and does not injure the flower if applied in a mist-like spray. Care should be exercised by the operator not to inhale any of the fumes.

**GREEN AND BLACK FLY OR APHIS.** A green sucking insect which usually gathers in great numbers upon the tips of the new growth. A solution of tobacco made from tobacco insecticide soap, will exterminate them.

**LEAF ROLLER.** Is an insect of yellowish-white color, resembling the butterfly, and lays eggs on the under side of the leaf, which soon form a cocoon, rolling around itself the leaf, hence the name, leaf-roller. Arsenate of Lead is the remedy.

**BLACK SPOT.** A fungous disease, appearing as its name indicates as a black spot upon the leaf, eventually turning yellow and falling. It rarely occurs in the early part of the season, and the Teas are almost but not quite, exempt from its ravages. The best preventive if your bushes have been troubled by it in the past is spraying in April before the foliage has developed and not while the flowers are in bloom, because of the discoloration of the foliage. The disease usually appears at the base of the plant and works upward, so a watch should be kept and as soon as any leaves appear affected with this disease they should be pulled off and taken entirely away from the balance of the plants. If this is thoroughly done it will usually hold the disease in check. Use Bordeaux Mixture as a preventative.

**TOBACCO POWDER.** The Sprinkling Kind for Sprinkling or Dusting Only, is made from heavy black leaf tobacco, strong in nicotine, and so finely pulverized that it can be applied with an ordinary magazine bellows gun direct to plants, indoors or out, or sprinkled around the hothouse to keep the pests in check. Price, one-pound package, 50 cents.

**SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP.** Another splendid insecticide. Directions for use on every package; 3-oz. cake, makes 1½ gallons prepared solution, 15 cents each; 8-oz. cake, makes 4 gallons prepared solution, 30 cents, postpaid.

## "RED SNAPPER" PLANT FOOD

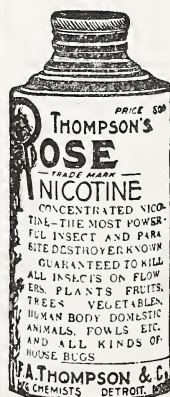


By Express at 50 cents,  
or by Mail, postpaid,  
at 60 cents.

**BORDEAUX MIXTURE (Dry).** For dusting plants affected with mildew and all fungus disease. Can be used as a spray. Price, per 1 pound, 50 cents, postpaid. One pound makes five gallons liquid.

This is a highly concentrated plant food made up scientifically to cover the needs of plant life, both out-of-doors and in window-garden and conservatory. It has been on the market some time; its advertisement has been nation-wide, and is probably well known to most of our customers. Easily applied, pleasant to use; and we are pleased to recommend it. By far the richest, most nutritious and yet harmless organic fertilizer for house plants and small fruits, climbing vines and shrubbery ever placed on the market. It is made from specially prepared and finely ground fish bonemeal and nitrogeous cartilage mixed with pulverized tobacco snuff. Put up in a concentrated form.

## INSECTICIDE



**THOMPSON'S ROSE NICOTINE** is chemically pure nicotine and quick death to insects on Roses. Very convenient to use—no trouble, no odor, no staining; simply apply as directed with spray pump or plant sprinkler. Small can, 50 cents; larger size, 90 cents, postpaid.

**ARSENATE OF LEAD, POWDERED.** May be used either as a dust diluted with hydrated lime, plaster or road dust, or as a liquid spray with water, lime-sulphur, solution or Bordeaux, only half the weight is needed as of the paste form. Price, one-half pound, 40 cents; 1 pound, 70 cents.

**SLUG SHOT.** Is an Insecticide for the destruction of Potato and Rose Bugs, and all Lice, Worms or Caterpillars upon Melons, Eggs, Cucumbers, Cotton, Tobacco and Cabbage Plants, Tomatoes, Currants, Fruit or Ornamental Trees, Grape Vines, Shrubs and Flowering Plants. An admirable remedy for the Black Clematis Bug.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE.** Slug Shot is an impalpable composite powder, to be dusted upon the plants. It contains poison, thoroughly diffused through natural fertilizers, and is perfectly safe in its use to man or beast. Price, 1 pound package, 25 cents, postpaid.

**DRY LIME-SULFUR.** The best remedy for San Jose and other scale insects on trees and shrubs. Use 1 pound to 15 gallons of water. Full directions with each package. Price, 1 pound cartons, 50 cents, postpaid.



## ROSE PREMIER *Remarkable For Its Large Size, Clear Color, Sweet Fragrance, Free Growth, and Luxuriant Foliage*

**PREMIER** is a cross between Ophelia and Russell. It resembles the former in its strong thornless stems and quick growth. Its ample foliage is similar to that of Ulrich Brunner and in arrangement and size of leafage it possesses the character of American Beauty. Premier is truly a big Rose that is ideal among the ever-bloomers; its stiff stems hold the immense flowers upright and what is more remarkable, the stems are almost free from thorns, the upper stem especially being thornless. The flowers are of Russell type, large and broad petaled, of glorious rose pink color, and grand in form. The foliage is large and durable and beautifully set, the leaves broad and dark green, making a fitting background for the fine bloom. To crown its other perfections it has a delicious June Rose fragrance, which is most enchanting. It produces quantities of blooms during the season and seems to claim the Premier place among American Roses. *Price, strong one-year-old plants, 35 cents each; two-year-old, \$1.25 each.*



*Rose Premier. A Glorious New Rose*

## The Beautiful La France Roses

The La France Roses are of the highest merit, and each member of the family has particularly strong points. Practically hardy everywhere, they are splendidly adapted for general planting.

*Price of all the La France Roses, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.*

**LA FRANCE.** This is probably the most popular Rose in cultivation. Both buds and flowers are of lovely form and grand size, exceedingly sweet; color fine peach-blossom, elegantly clouded with rosy flesh. Begins to bloom while very small, and continues bearing until stopped by freezing weather.

**WHITE LA FRANCE.** A seedling of La France; extra large full deep, pearly flowers, delicately shaded with soft rose; exquisitely beautiful and delightfully fragrant.

**THE STRIPED LA FRANCE.** An elegant new Rose, closely resembling La France in form and substance, but the flowers are distinctly striped with pearl-white and satin-rose.

## THE GLORIOUS NEW ROSE CRIMSON QUEEN

Of late years many marvelous new crimson Roses have been introduced. In our estimation this magnificent new variety takes front rank. This means in comparison with such famous Roses as RHEA REID, HADLEY, HOOSIER BEAUTY and others almost equally beautiful. CRIMSON QUEEN possesses outstanding features of superiority. The color is rich, deep, glowing crimson, overlaid with a velvety-black sheen—so exquisitely beautiful as to baffle description or illustration, while the fragrance is delicious. Altogether this superb newcomer marks a distinctive advance in the field of hardy blooming crimson Roses. As a garden Rose "Crimson Queen" has no superior. When we first saw this Rose in bloom we at once pronounced it the most beautiful crimson Rose we had ever seen, and totally distinct. You will say the same when you see it. It is beautiful beyond words. One of the foremost Rosarians of this country, upon seeing this wonderful variety for the first time, pronounced it the most beautiful of all deep crimson Roses. *Price, one-year, 20 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.*

## MADAME COLLETE MARTINET

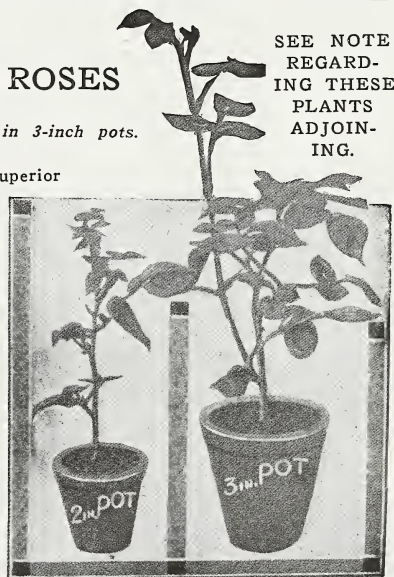
A vigorous grower of coppery-orange color. The color is very deep and clear, and holds well, which can be said of few yellow sorts. It is a nice grower, free in bloom, and those wanting a yellow different from "Ward" or "Sunburst" should try this one. *Price, one-year, 20 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.*

## OUR ROSES

*Are grown in 3-inch pots.*

They are superior

to the young Roses from two-inch pots usually sent out because the larger pot gives ample room for root action and allows the plant to grow naturally. They are sturdy and compact, and when sent by express with the soil on the roots, transplanting scarcely checks their growth. The cut shows a fair sample of the two-inch pot plants as usually sent out by the mail trade, (and a fair sample taken from our stock, growing in three-inch pots).







## COLUMBIA

GIGANTIC IN SIZE—FREEDOM IN BLOOM

Could be rightfully called the *Giant Pink*, owing to the enormous blooms it produces. Of distinctive merit, being an extremely strong, rank grower, one of the strongest of the ever-blooming, blooming as it does with the greatest freedom, the buds carried on long stiff, erect stems, of the very largest size imaginable in a Rose bloom, open flowers often measuring six inches across, full of petals and of wonderful depth, which it retains in perfect formation. Very fragrant. Color, clear imperial pink, on the order of *La France*, deepening as it opens to glowing pink. A peculiarity of the variety is that the shades all become more intense until the full maturity of the open flower is reached, and this color is enduring. Being fully double makes it a fine summer Rose, particularly adapted to garden culture. We feel that after all is said, we have not said half enough for Columbia. Price, one-year, 25 cents; two-year, \$1.00.

## PRESIDENT CARNOT

It is a Rose of the largest size, beautiful both in bud and open flower. The buds come on long, stiff stems, in clusters of from six to twelve. Each individual flower stands out distinct on its stem. No crowding as in the case of so many Roses that bloom in clusters. The color is distinct and novel, a lovely fawn, shading to pearl. It often measures five to six inches in diameter. We have no hesitation in saying that this charming Rose will become as popular as *La France*, as it has all the good qualities of that Rose, and at the same time is so distinct that it attracts immediate attention. It is, indeed, a wonderful Rose—one that everybody can grow and bloom. Price, fine young, strong plants, 20 cents each; fine two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## GRUSS AN TEPLITZ

*The Sweetest, Richest Crimson Hybrid Tea Rose.*

Called by some growers Virginia R. Coxe. The intense, dazzling color of this Rose is found in no other variety. Fiery crimson, shaded with a dark, velvety sheen, totally unlike any other color in the world. Large, handsome, moderately double flowers. Produced in wonderful profusion throughout the whole growing season; in fact, it is always in bloom. The flowers are produced singly, sometimes in clusters, producing a gorgeous effect on the lawn or in the garden all summer through. The fragrance of Gruss An Teplitz Rose is unexcelled by that of any other variety under cultivation. It is a strong and sturdy grower, often attaining a height of four or five feet, is perfectly hardy in all sections and is one of the finest of many splendid Roses that have come to us from Europe. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA

*A Superb, Hardy White Rose.*

This marvelous Rose has had many rivals for the place it still retains as the greatest white Rose in existence. Strong, sturdy grower, flowering with the utmost freedom. It holds first place as the most popular of white Roses for general planting. From early spring until late fall its glorious full double flowers in all their perfection are produced continuously on long, stiff, erect stems; color, delicate creamy-white, with a delicious magnolia-like fragrance, exquisite buds, absolutely hardy. Price, one-year-old plants, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.



The flowers of Kaiserin Augusta Victoria are double and delightfully fragrant.





*Mme. Butterfly*

## MME. BUTTERFLY

A glorified sport of Ophelia with all the colors of Ophelia intensified, making it a harmony of bright pink, apricot and gold. A free grower and bloomer with large handsome foliage free from mildew. Price, one-year, 35 cents each; two-year \$1.50 each.

## ROSE MARIE

A most pleasing shade of clear rose-pink, with ideal long shapely buds which open to very large flowers of good form. The plant is a strong, vigorous, healthy grower, and remarkably prolific. We consider it one of the best bedding Roses of its color yet introduced. Price, one-year, 25 cents each; two-year, \$1.25 each.

## MABEL DREW

A truly magnificent Rose, superb in every respect. It is exquisitely shaped, with smooth, circular petals of great substance, arranged in perfect symmetry. The blooms are large and full, carried on strong and erect flower stalks. The color is a deep cream in the young state, passing to intense canary-yellow in the center as the flower develops. It is a Hybrid Tea Rose with a deliciously refreshing perfume. The flowers are produced continuously and in great profusion. A vigorous grower with rich cedar-green foliage. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## MODERN ROSES OF PROVED MERIT

**MADAME MARCEL DELANNEY.** A surprisingly beautiful novelty raised by the introducers of the popular Rose Jonkheer J. L. Mock. It is distinct and peculiar in color, a pale soft pink or rose shaded with hydrangea-pink. The flowers are very large, full and fragrant, perfect in form, and borne on rigid stems. The growth is vigorous and very floriferous. Price, one-year plants, 30 cents each; two-year plants, \$1.50 each.

**LILLIAN MOORE.** The winner of the first prize at the Panama Pacific Exposition for the best new Rose unknown at that time. Color, a deep, pure Indian yellow, with slightly deeper center, with long, pointed buds, produced on magnificent stems. Very free bloomer and a good, strong, vigorous grower. Price, one-year plants, 30 cents each; two-year plants, \$1.50 each.

**LOS ANGELES.** Truly a magnificent Rose in vigor of growth, color, form, fragrance, and, in fact, in everything required of a first-class Rose. The color is a luminous flame-pink, toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold at the base of the petals. The buds are long and

pointed and they expand into an intensely fragrant, beautiful flower of large size. Price, one-year, 30 cents; two-year, \$1.50 each.

**GLADYS HOLLAND.** Of magnificent form and size. Color, bluff, shaded orange-yellow, outside of petals pearly-peach. Very free flowering. Price, one-year, 30 cents; two-year, \$1.50 each.

**CRIMSON CHATENAY.** This is the Crimson Chatenay, a great Rose. All know the Mme. Abel Chatenay. Well, this is a crimson form with all the other good qualities of its parent. A big, strong growing variety, robust and rugged in every characteristic; the growth is heavy and the flower stems strong and heavy. It is a free flowering, and the blooms are big and double, and in color a rich velvety crimson. A free flowering red Rose that is a wonder. Price, one year, 25 cents; two-year, \$1.00 each.

**MADAME PAUL EULER.** Out in California and the Pacific Coast this Rose is so well thought of that it has been rechristened "Prima Donna." The color is a lovely shade of deep rose-pink, petals waved or undulated on the edges, giving it an elegance of form seen in no other Rose. Good for forcing or outdoor growing. Price, 25 cents each; two-year, \$1.25 each.

## "RED SNAPPER" PLANT FOOD

This is a highly concentrated plant food made up scientifically to cover the needs of plant life, both out-of-doors and in window-garden and conservatory. It has been on the market some time; its advertisement has been nation-wide, and is probably well known to most of our customers. Easily applied, pleasant to use;

and we are pleased to recommend it. By far the richest, most nutritious and yet harmless organic fertilizer for house plants and small fruits, climbing vines and shrubbery ever placed on the market. It is made from specially prepared and finely ground fish bonemeal and nitrogenous cartilage mixed with pulverized tobacco snuff. Put up in a concentrated form.



By Express at 50 cents, or by Mail, postpaid, at 60 cents



## LADY URSULA

Color a most beautiful shade of flesh-pink, of great substance and good form; petals large, circular and delicately perfumed. A grand grower, producing its round, full blooms in wonderful profusion. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## PAPA GONTIER

A strong, vigorous grower and constant bloomer; one of the very best and most valuable, both for open ground and greenhouse; color, rich cherry-red, passing to clear, glowing crimson. One of the best for all purposes, with immense buds and magnificent flowers. *Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents.*

## MADAME ABEL CHATENAY

Further trials each year only serve to strengthen our belief that this is one of the greatest Hybrid Tea Roses of its type; color, rosy carmine, with darker shadings; reverse of petals pale salmon. Splendid in the open ground, where it is absolutely hardy. Beautifully formed flowers, full, deep and double. A strong grower and a free bloomer. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*



*Lady Ursula*

## MISS MILDRED VESTAL

This superb new Rose is a result of a cross fertilization between "Rhea Reid," that grand red bedding Rose, and "Richmond," the greatest of all red forcing Roses, which insures in their offspring every point of excellence. It has magnificent large foliage, free from disease of all kinds, and is a tremendous grower—one of the best in all our list. The glory of the plant, however, is in the immense deep double flower of a new and clear shade of crimson scarlet. *Price, one-year-old plants, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.*

## MARIE VAN HOUTTE

*One of the Finest White Roses.*

A most beautiful Tea Rose, a strong, sturdy grower, blooming constantly, with great freedom. The color of the flowers, which are full and double, is pale canary-yellow, passing to rich creamy white, shaded with pale rose. Well known and always popular. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*



*Marie Van Houtte*

**PLANTING TIME IS HERE** MARCH, APRIL AND MAY ARE IDEAL MONTHS FOR ROSE PLANTING

This book will reach you about the opening of the planting season. More Roses are lost by planting too early than all other causes combined. Plant Roses at "corn-planting time," when the ground is in proper condition, and our big, lusty, vigorous plants will take hold in their new surroundings and thrive in a way marvelous to behold. *Remember, our Rose bushes are all on their own roots, and all growing in pots,* and when transplanted in your garden they keep right on growing without being checked. Within a very short time you can have Roses in your yard or garden in glorious abundance. But make out your order at once—time is slipping by—and receive for your money the best, most vigorous, the handsomest Rose bushes ever grown. Orders booked ahead for delivery when wanted. Order early. The demand will be great and we will fill orders in strict rotation. *Order now, without delay.*



## SUNBURST

*"Stands Head and Shoulders Above All."*

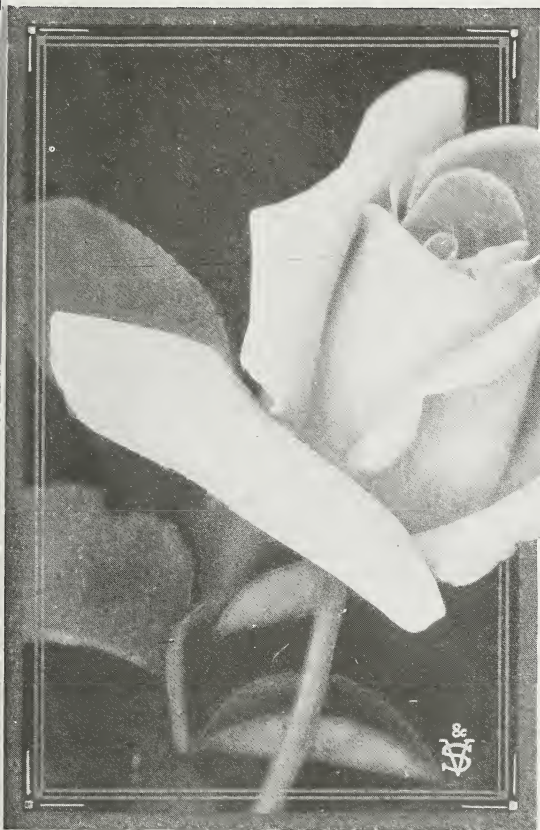
This magnificent giant-flowering Rose stands head and shoulders above all other Roses of its class. It is a constant blooming variety, producing fragrant blooms of an especially deep color throughout the summer. It has all the good points of merit; a fine long pointed bud; long stems; extraordinarily vigorous and healthy, and belongs in the class of big Roses. The color is a beautiful orange-copper, golden orange and golden yellow, large intense shades, and brilliant in effect. *Price, strong, one-year plants, 20 cents each; two-year plants, 75 cents each.*

## MRS. AARON WARD

This Rose is a real joy to the grower and absolutely distinct. One of the most delightful Roses of recent years, in a color that catches the eye at once. Coppery orange in the open bud, golden orange when partly developed, pinkish fawn of lovely shade when fully open, when it looks like a full fluffy rosette. No wonder everybody that sees it falls in love with it. *Price, 20 cents for one-year-old plants; 75 cents for two-year-old.*

## BLUMENSCHMIDT

This is undoubtedly the best Pure Yellow Rose for garden planting yet introduced; color is clear bright, golden yellow; the plant is a strong, robust grower and very hardy; makes beautiful buds and is very double and sweet, and one of the very best. A sport from Mademoiselle Franciska Kruger. We believe it to be the only good yellow bedding rose up to date. You had better try some of this, as unquestionably it has a great future. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*



*Illustration Shows Flower of  
Golden Orange Rose Sunburst.*

TRY OUR TRIAL COLLECTION OF EVER-BLOOMING ROSES. TWELVE CHOICE VARIETIES. *Very Fine Plants. Best Sorts. Our Selection, \$1.00 Postpaid.*

## HOOSIER BEAUTY

*The Most Beautiful Velvety Crimson Bush  
Rose in the World.*

This is the grandest and most beautiful Rose we have ever seen. No illustration, no description can give the faintest idea of the grandeur of this variety. It is simply exquisitely beautiful, wonderfully strong growing bush form, producing its gorgeous flowers in the utmost profusion all the time—a single plant will give an abundance of magnificent blooms this year. And such flowers! Deep, double, immense in size, gloriously formed, with a color seen in no other Rose, a superb velvety, crimson, rich beyond description. Seemingly nature outdid herself in this variety—every grace—every charm—a new color and to top it all off, it has the fragrance of the old Damask Rose, exquisite and indescribable. This is a marvelous Rose and we say again, the most beautiful we have ever seen in our lifetime. Ours is the true stock and, as the variety is new, we would suggest early ordering. *Price, one-year, 25 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.*



*Hoosier Beauty is a New Rose of Wonderful Brightness and Charm.  
Brilliant Crimson in Color.*



## The Intense Crimson Garden Rose **PRINCE DE ARENBERG**

### WHATEVER ELSE IS PLANTED, PLANT THIS ROSE FOR WONDERFUL FLOWERS

This is one of the newer Roses that have been brought prominently before the public this season and we have not seen a Rose that has met with such universal appreciation by both amateur and professional growers. To those who prefer a Rose with full color we can recommend none more highly than this gorgeous crimson scarlet Rose. It is hardy in practically all localities and as an outdoor garden Rose it has no superior. Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth, branching freely; it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from April until December. Every shoot carries a well-formed flower of exquisite fragrance and splendid lasting qualities. The illustration gives but a faint idea of the richness of this magnificent Rose. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.*

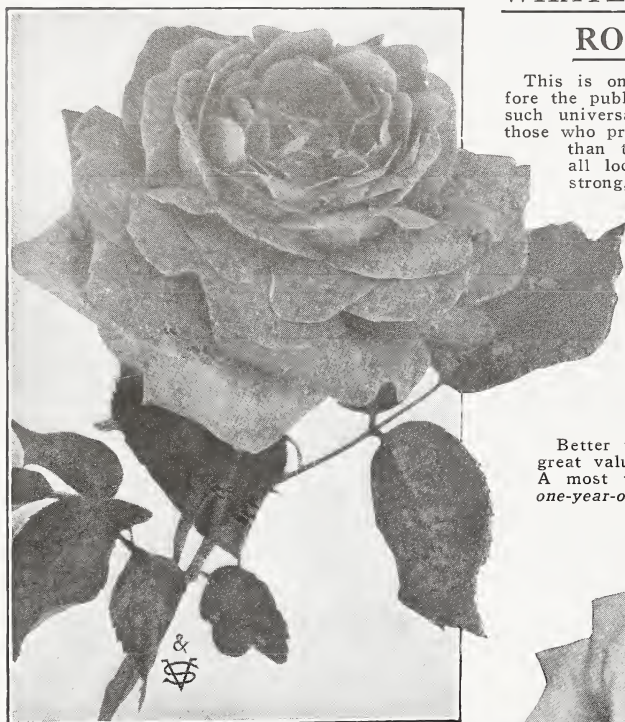
Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sirs: Received my shipment of flowers and am perfectly delighted with them. They were in good condition.

Very respectfully,

May 7th, 1920.

Mrs. G. L. L., Atlanta, Texas.



**PRINCE DE ARENBERG**  
"Deepest Velvety or Blackest Crimson;  
Enormous Size"

## LARGE PURE YELLOW ROSE **ALEXANDER HILL** **GRAY**

The respect of all Rose lovers warrants the issuing of a champion Rose, and a Tea at that, to pay due homage to one of the world's greatest Tea Rose growers. It is wonderfully floriferous, every shoot being crowned with a flower bud, which develops into a bloom of very large size, great substance and perfect formation with high pointed center from which the petals gracefully reflex. The best and largest pure yellow Tea Rose yet introduced. Its color is a solid, deep throughout. Marechal Niel-like lemon-yellow; strongly scented. *Price, 20 cents each; large size, 75 cents each.*

TRY OUR TRIAL COLLECTION OF  
EVERBLOOMING ROSES

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**ALEXANDER HILL GRAY**  
Deep yellow Rose everyone can grow. It keeps up a fine succession of bloom



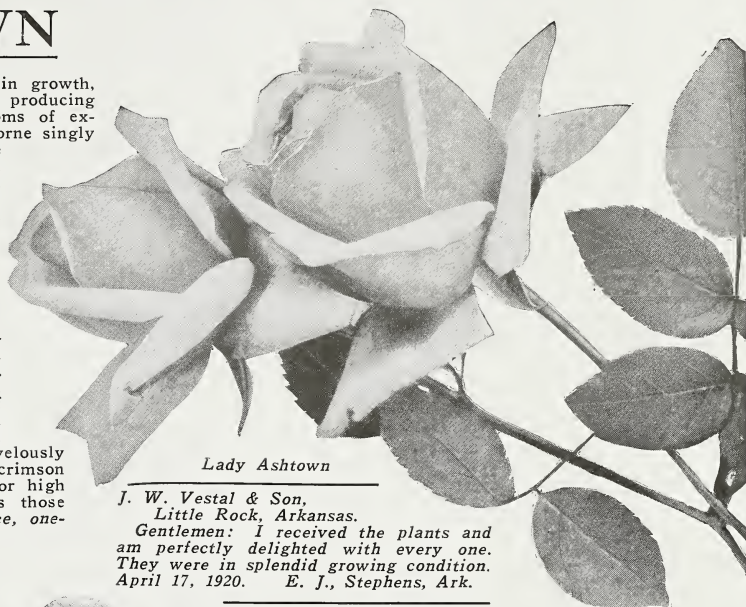
## LADY ASHTOWN

Similar to Mad. Caroline Testout, but superior in growth, freedom of bloom and color. Splendid grower, soon producing a large, strong bush continually loaded with blooms of exquisite color and shape. Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stiff stems. The illustration was made from photograph of the Rose as grown here by us, and shows the true formation of bloom. Color is a soft, solid carmine-pink of a most pleasing shade. A good Rose for any purpose. Price, one-year-old, 20 cents; two-year-old, 75 cents.

## RICHMOND

*A Gorgeous Crimson Rose*

The most gorgeous Rose we have ever seen—no other variety can compare with it. In form and fragrance of flower it is simply superb. Wonderfully free blooming, its immense, fragrant, scarlet-crimson flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, making it a rival of American Beauty, and even more dazzling in appearance. Richmond is a Rose which attained wonderful popularity in a marvelously short time, and is considered the standard deep crimson Rose in the florists' shops, selling at all times for high prices. In the garden its flowers are as fine as those found in the green houses. Perfectly hardy. Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents.



*Lady Ashtown*

J. W. Vestal & Son,  
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Gentlemen: I received the plants and am perfectly delighted with every one. They were in splendid growing condition. April 17, 1920. E. J., Stephens, Ark.

## HELENA CAMBIER

Of unusual beauty, with large, double, beautifully formed flowers, the colors are varying, ranging from salmon-rose to coppery rose; very often a handsome saffron hue. As the flowers expand, the colors become lighter. A most remarkable sort in every respect and one to which we give our highest endorsement. Good everywhere, especially in the South. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.

## GENERAL McARTHUR

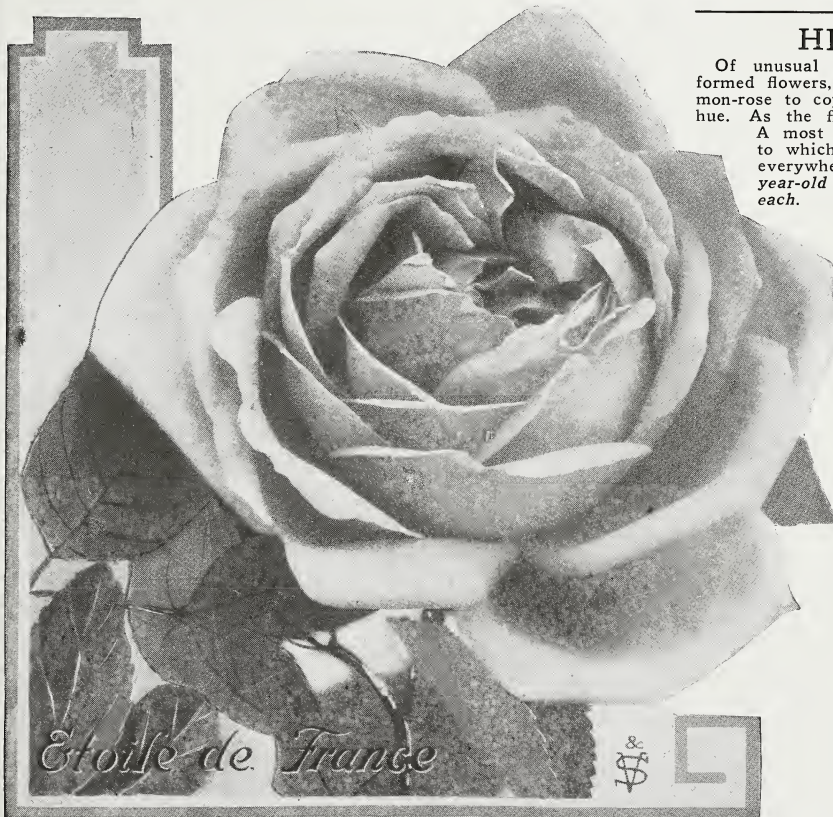
*One of the Very Best Red Bedding Roses*

General McArthur is as fragrant as a Rose can be; has good sized flowers and blooms continuously. The bud, when first opening, is the brightest crimson-scarlet, and the flower retains this perfect coloring until it drops its petals. Blooms continuously the whole season through and gives fine stems for cutting. Its habit of growth is remarkably good, making strong, shapely plants that may be depended on for large flower shoots. A great favorite. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## ETOILE DE FRANCE

*Magnificent in Form and Coloring*

One of the best and sweetest hardy Roses of its color. The strong, upright bushes have beautiful bronze green foliage, which is not subject to insect attacks. The bushes are blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers on magnificent, long, stiff stems. They are of truly glorious form and delightful fragrance, while the color is exquisite—a clear red of velvety crimson. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.



*Etoile de France*

## ETOILE DE FRANCE

The Crimson Garden Rose, a Rose in which we find the embodiment of a perfect bloom, size, form and color



## SENATOR MASCURAND

"The Yellowest of all Roses." (H. T.) This is our pick of all the yellow Hybrid Tea Roses; it is a good grower, very free bloomer; flowers are large, full and globular; color deep orange-yellow, lighter on the edge of the petals. This is a much better garden Rose than Mrs. Anna Ward. When we say orange-yellow, we do not mean lemon-yellow; it is the yellowest of all Roses. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

### LADY BATTERSEA

This variety has long oval buds, sharply pointed, very striking in form; the color is bright cherry crimson; the stems are stiff and extremely long for a red Rose; a vigorous grower; not very full, but an unusually showy variety; the only red Rose approaching Niphetos in form; color, brilliant and unusual. Price, 20 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

### CORNELIA COOK

The buds are most beautiful, of immense size, and are borne up high on massive stems, and with their round, full, heavy form, carry an air of grace and dignity quite unusual. The flowers are the clearest, snowiest white, and are arranged in the most faultless and symmetrical manner. Cornelia Cook has the largest bud of any white Rose. Price, 20 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.



Senator Mascurand  
The Yellowest of All Roses

### OPHELIA

"A Rose of Attractive Coloring"

In this magnificent Rose, we find a Rose of attractive coloring. It might be described at salmon-flesh, shaded rose. The bloom is quite full, unusually long and beautifully pointed with petals of wonderful depth and substance, retaining their shape longer than most Roses. The variety is of fine branching habit and ideal growth, a beautiful and most bushy Rose. Its color is not its only charm as its fragrance fills the room with a delicate pure rose perfume. It ranks one of the best of the garden Roses. The illustration conveys but a faint idea of its beauty and formation, which is of large and perfect shape. Habit excellent, growth strong, produces flowers on long stems, well up above the foliage, and in great profusion all summer. Hardy in almost all localities. Grand for forcing or outdoors. Price, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each, by express.

### ANTOINE RIVOIRE

"A Garden Rose of Great Merit."

(Summer blooming, hardy with protection). A great favorite in the South; sturdy in growth; branching in habit; free flowering as a Geranium; charmingly shaded rosy-flesh color, on yellow ground with a delicate border of carmine; flowers sweetly fragrant. Price, one-year-old plants, 25 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.



The combination of colors in the salmon-yellow Rose Ophelia makes it a highly decorative variety



# PINK RADIANCE AND RED RADIANCE



In the Radiance Roses are found all the good qualities that go to make an ideal garden Rose—grand size, handsome form, free flowering, hardiness, pleasing colors.

## RADIANCE

### MAGNIFICENT ROSE

(Giant Flowering, Handsome in Form and a Wonderful Garden Rose.)

This grand, giant-flowering Rose stands head and shoulders above all other Roses of its class. The flowers, which are of splendid form, are large and full, and somewhat of the June Rose type. The buds are particularly handsome in form, the full blooms large and double, the petals of immense size and the blossoms are highly perfumed. The growth of the plant is vigorous, making strong canes which are thick and heavy. Radiance is rightly considered a leading Rose of the garden for cutting and successfully competes with many of the finest greenhouse productions as a cut-flower variety. Radiance produces a wealth of heavy, clean, dark green foliage and has the qualities that make it the ideal garden Rose. Price, strong plants on own roots, 20 cents (will bloom the first season); two-year-old plants, 75 cents each; three-year-old, \$1.25 each.

## RED RADIANCE

No Rose has yet equalled, certainly none has excelled Radiance as a garden Rose, when all points are taken into consideration, such as hardiness, freedom of bloom, vigorous growth and character of bloom. In Red Radiance we have an exact replica of its prototype, Radiance, except in color and bud. The color is an even shade of clear red, without a trace of any other color, retaining its vividness for an unusually long time after being cut. It is a remarkable bloomer, being constantly in flower, from early spring until freezing weather. Strong, vigorous, branching grower, each branch terminating in a large, bold, double bloom. Hardy everywhere. Altogether it is a Rose destined to become one of the leading garden Roses of America. Price, one-year, 20 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.



## SOUVENIR DE PIERRE NOTTING

Marvelously beautiful flowers of the Maman Cochet type, very large and well filled, opening beautiful clear apricot yellow tinged with golden, mixed with orange-yellow, edges of petals shaded carmine-rose. Truly a gorgeous effect. The bush is strong and upright in growth, with heavy canes, and bears a great profusion of these magnificent Roses all summer long. It can always be depended upon for a supply of cut flowers. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

SOUVENIR DE PIERRE NOTTING  
"Color, Apricot-Yellow, changing to clear Yellow."





Mrs. George Sawyer. Brilliant Clear Rose

## RHEA REID

*Grand, New, Hardy, Everblooming Rose*

This novelty in Roses is a seedling variety of great distinctness of character. The growth is vigorous, throwing out long shoots with rich green leaves, and each shoot bearing a flower well above the foliage. It is a variety which will produce flowers as large as the American Beauty, as double as the grand Rose Bridesmaid, and as fragrant as the beautiful La France. The buds are long, oval and pointed, of a most beautiful rich crimson, and retain their form for a long time. This variety will immediately prove a most valuable addition to the list of forcing Roses, and will soon be seen in the show windows of cut-flower stores in our large cities. Of all the crimson Roses which have been introduced for years, there is none that has measured up better to the ideal standard than Rhea Reid. Highly recommended. Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents.

## MRS. GEORGE SAWYER

This is one of the newer varieties introduced by the growers of Lady Hillingdon. We have not seen a Rose that has met with such universal appreciation by both the amateur and professional grower, and has won awards in almost every place shown since it was introduced, both in this country and Europe. The color is one very hard to describe, being a shade of brilliant clear rose or bright peach-pink. It is a wonderful grower and bloomer, producing great numbers of strong shoots, each shoot tipped with a bud. The flowers are very large, well formed and full, petals of good substance. A very fine garden Rose, as well as a forcing Rose. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## THE BURBANK ROSE

(Summer blooming, hardy with protection.) A perfectly new everblooming Rose. This lovely Rose was raised by Mr. Luther Burbank, of California, known the world over as the "Wizard of Horticulture," and is the only variety out of seventy-five thousand cross-bred seedlings which he raised that he was willing should bear his name. This Rose is the only rival that the famous variety, Champion of the World, has. The color is described as cherry-crimson; it is, in other words, the very deepest and brightest pink Rose in cultivation. It is peculiarly adapted for both outdoor planting or for blooming in pots in the house during winter. It is a strong, vigorous grower, making a well-rounded, bushy plant. Price, one-year, 20 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.



Rhea Reid



## MADISON—Immense Flowers of Clearest, Snowiest White

Madison is one of the very best of the new Roses, and one that has so many good qualities that we are quite certain it will find a place in the garden of every flower lover. It has been thoroughly tested by us and we have formed such a high opinion of it that, this year, we have grown an unusually large stock in order to give the Rose the widest possible distribution. The buds are most beautiful, of immense size, and are borne up high on massive stems, and with their round, full, heavy form, carry an air of grace and dignity quite unusual. The flowers are the clearest, snowiest white, and are arranged in the most faultless and symmetrical manner. The fine form and attractive shape of the flower make them excellent for cutting. Like Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Madison is a Rose of great value for open-ground culture. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

### MADAME LAMBARD

*The Great Southern Rose*

A first-class Rose for garden planting or pot culture; habit of growth is vigorous and blooming quality very free. The color is a beautiful shade of rosy bronze, changing to salmon and fawn, shaded with carmine. A fine variety. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

### PINK HERMOSA

*"Hardy as a Lilac; Free-flowering as a Geranium"*

Everybody knows this famous variety. As hardy as an oak, and always covered with clear pink blooms. There is not a shade of color of any kind to mar its purity. We doubt if any Rose ever grown will take its place. *Price, 20 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

*Long pointed buds, rosy crimson in color*



*Madison.  
Flowers Snow White*

### CAROLINE TESTOUT

*A Rose of Great Beauty*

(Summer blooming, hardy with protection). The petals are large and of the La France form; edged and bordered with silvery-rose. Flowers and buds are extra large and of elegant form; the color is brilliant, satiny rose, deepening at center to clear red. We recommend it as one of the best of the many new Roses recently introduced for outdoor culture. *Price, one-year, 25 cents; two-year, \$1.00.*

### HELEN GOULD

It has proven itself to be the strongest growing, freest blooming, largest flowering and hardiest Rose in existence. It is a better Rose for general planting than American Beauty—the dream and hope of every Rose grower for years past. A strong, dwarf, compact grower, absolutely free from disease of all kinds, young plants blooming continuously throughout the year. The flowers are as large as the American Beauty, are full and perfectly double; the buds are beautifully made, long and pointed, produced on long, stiff, erect stems. The color is a warm rosy crimson, the color of a ripe watermelon. *Price, 20 cents each; large plants, 75 cents each.*



*Helen Gould*





*Jonkheer J. L. Mock—None Better*

## JONKHEER J. L. MOCK

### *The Giant Pink Rose*

This sensational Holland production is in a class of its own. It is a true Hybrid Tea with gigantic flowers on great, erect, stiff stems and a growth that is marvelous in its freedom. Has extraordinary large, heavy foliage and quickly makes a great, strong bush. The flowers are enormous in size, magnificently formed, deep and double, exquisitely fragrant; color, bright rich pink, faced with carmine. It is the greatest bush Rose of any color for American gardens that has come out of Europe in the past fifty years. Well named the "Giant Pink Rose." Price, one-year, 30 cents; two-year, \$1.00.

### WHEN SELECTION IS LEFT TO US

We will choose for you same as if for a personal friend, for we feel the responsibility of giving you good varieties and also first-class, healthy plants that will be sure to bloom. Mention the colors, and the quantity of each color you prefer, to enable us to select to your satisfaction.

#### PRICES: TEA ROSES (OUR SELECTION)

One-year size.....12 for \$1, postpaid

Two-year size.....12 for \$6.00, by express

## MRS. B. R. CANT

### *A Great Rose*

This beautiful new Rose, of English origin, we especially recommend for outdoor cultivation as one of the best, if not the best Rose of its class and color now in cultivation. One of the kind that we can not have too many of. Exceedingly hardy, producing in marvelous profusion deep crimson-pink flowers, perfectly double; delightfully fragrant. Buds large, pointed and beautiful. Price, 20 cents each; two-year, 75 cents each.

## Beautiful Bessie Brown

### *"A Great Outdoor Rose"*

A Grand Hardy Rose. Again we desire to call your attention to this magnificent Rose, which maintains itself as one of the best that has ever been introduced into this country. It has unsurpassed beauty of a totally distinct character, bearing large, full, deep and double flowers profusely in the open ground all through the summer. The color is almost pure white, though sometimes flushed with pink; petals large and of fine form. Price, one-year-old plants, 25 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.



*Bessie Brown. Flowers flesh pink. Everybody can grow it*



## NATIONAL EMBLEM

Owing to its magnificent color and formation, this Rose was named National Emblem, and no Rose in our estimation has a better right to the honor of being the Standard Bearer. Its color is a deep crimson overlaid velvety crimson shading to vermillion toward the edges. Buds long and pointed on stout stems opening full and double, each one coming to perfection and produced in marvelous profusion throughout the entire season. Plants make a gorgeous sight owing to the brightness of the blooms

and the luster of the foliage, being entirely free from mildew. A grand garden or bedding Rose. Price, 30 cts. each; 2-year-old plants, 75 cents each.



*Princess de Sagan  
Always in Bloom*

### PRINCESS DE SAGAN

*The Crimson Brabant Rose*

No better garden Rose than this. The color is intense velvety crimson and bush grows dwarf and symmetrical, and when in full bloom is the equal of an azalea. Very hardy and always in bloom. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

### MAD. DE VATRY

It makes big, clean buds of great beauty and opens well, showing the large, full double flowers to great advantage. The color is a rich red, changing to a silvery peach—reminds one of the delicate hues seen on the inside of the fairest deep-sea shells—rosy flesh, bathed in golden amber, broad, shell-like petals, bright and beautiful; in every way a fine Rose. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## "SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"

Customers of smaller cities within a few hundred miles of Little Rock find it very difficult to obtain Floral Designs on short notice from their dealers, therefore, prefer to send to a reliable place for such. Wire or phone your order in and it will have our best attention. We send flowers for all occasions, Weddings, Sick Room, Birthday Gifts, etc.

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VESTAL & SON.

Jos. W. Vestal & Son,  
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sirs: The Rose Collection which I ordered from you I received them last week and was simply packed well. Many thanks to you for the extra ones that you put in. I send another order in which please send by mail.

Yours truly,

May 24th, 1920.

F. L. S., Ganado, Texas.

### CLOTILDE SOUPERT

Known the world over as one of the very best of all bedding Roses. A strong, dwarf grower and a truly wonderful bloomer, producing clusters after clusters of the finest formed flowers. Full and double, and deliciously sweet. Color effect is beautiful, ivory-white, shading toward the center to silvery-rose. Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents each.

### MADAME JOSEPH SCHWARTZ

Flowers pure white, tinged and shaded with pale yellow and rosy blush; very full and sweet. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

### DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON

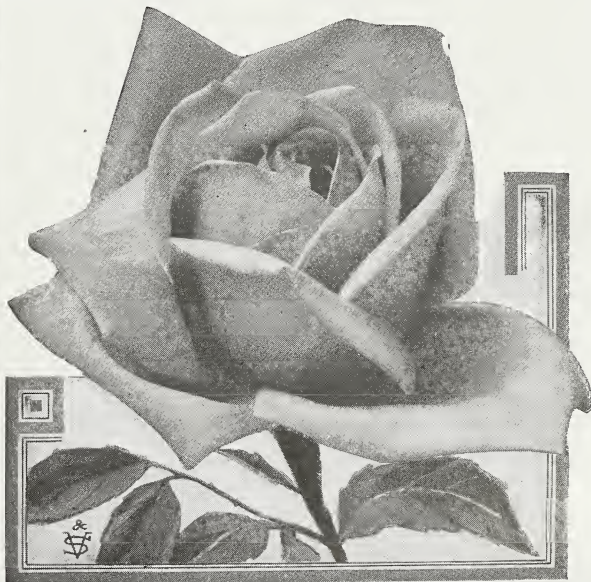
The ground color is chrome-yellow through which runs veins of rich orange and shadings of the same running into the rich yellow. Like all high-colored Roses, it varies, but the rule is, that it intensifies rather than lightens in its wonderful shadings. Price, one-year-old, 25 cents; two-year-old, \$1.00 each.

### ARCHDUKE CHARLES

Rich, bright red; full and double, entirely hardy, excellent for open ground planting. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

### COUNTESS CLANWILLIAM

Long pointed buds opening to large, full, high-centered flowers of great beauty. Color, delicate peach-pink at the base of the petals, which are flamed and heavily edged with deep cherry red, a beautiful contrast, which brings out the strong individuality of this charming Rose. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.



*Countess Clanwilliam  
Long Pointed Buds of Great Beauty*



## HADLEY

In the Hadley we have a Rose that possesses a rich and lasting crimson color, coupled with vigor of growth, robust constitution, and free blooming habit. It will be welcomed alike by the grower who forces Roses under glass for cut flowers and the one who plants outdoors for summer flowers.

It is a development of a strain of red Roses, including Liberty, General McArthur and Richmond. The color is magnificent, rich velvety-crimson, retaining its brilliancy throughout the season. The fragrance is delightful and refreshing. The flowers are borne on long stems and keep in good condition a long time when cut. The growth is splendid, sturdy and healthy, the foliage large and abundant. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## "MILADY"

No Rose of recent introduction has impressed us as this one. After giving it a thorough test, we are convinced that it will become the most popular outdoor garden Rose in existence, combining as it does, all the desirable features of a Rose for the amateur grower, such as color, freedom of bloom, formation and hardiness. Being a cross between Richmond and J. B. Clark, it has retained the color of both, being a rich velvety crimson, with darker shading toward the center and retaining its color in the expanded bloom. Buds medium long and opening full and double to the center, producing a magnificent flower. *Price, one-year-old plants, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.*



Hadley  
Magnificent Rich Velvety Crimson

## BRIDESMAID

*One of the Most Beautiful of all Pink Tea Roses.*

This variety is valuable for cutting and does finely in the open ground; a sport from the old and popular pink Tea, Catherine Mermet, but of a fine, clear, dark pink, much deeper and more constant in color than Mermet. The bush is a strong, vigorous grower, bearing its flowers on long, sturdy stems. Altogether one of the finest Roses for garden culture and one which is a universal favorite for all occasions. *Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents.*

## THE BRIDE

*Standard White Rose of Excellent Form and Color.*

There is no other white Rose more satisfactory than the Bride. The buds and flowers are unusually large, well formed and deliciously perfumed. When planted in the open ground the flowers are sometimes found to be delicately tinted with pink, making it exceedingly attractive. It is of a strong and healthy growth; and a profuse bloomer. Its blooms are of the most suitable form and quality for cut flowers. *Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents.*



The Lovely Bride Rose

## A WORD ABOUT EXPRESS CHARGES:

Some florists are offering to prepay express charges on certain orders, but when so sent the soil is removed from the roots of the plants, and they are packed the same as for mail, the cost for sending being no more than it would be if the plants were sent by United States mail. All plants that we send by express, charges to be paid by purchaser, are packed with a ball of soil on the roots, thus insuring their uninterrupted growth when received. We pack as light as possible consistent with safety.



## MADAME JENNY GILLEMOT

*The Yellow Kaiserin*

Buds long and pointed, deep saffron yellow, opening canary with dark golden shadings; blooms large, petals immense; opens very freely; a fine upright grower of branching habit. Exquisitely beautiful; very large in size; bud very long and pointed. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

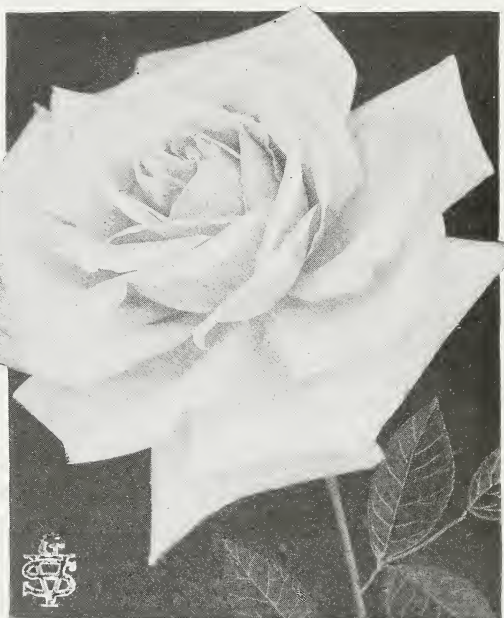
## MADAME JULES GROLEZ

*Red Kaiserin Augusta Victoria*

One of the very best of the new Roses, and one that has so many good qualities that we are quite certain it will find a place in the garden of every flower lover. It has been thoroughly tested by us and we have formed such a high opinion of it that, this year, we have grown an unusually large stock in order to give the Rose the widest possible distribution. Mad. Jules Grolez is an exceedingly free-blooming variety, with very large, finely formed flowers. The color is a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. The fine form and attractive shape of the flowers makes them excellent for cutting. Like Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Mad. Jules Grolez is a Rose of great value for open-ground culture. It is a remarkably strong growing variety, as hardy as the Hybrid Perpetuals, free-flowering and in every way excellent. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

### New Customers

As this Catalogue will reach many who have never had our plants, we would urge such to send us a trial order, no matter how small, and although you may be satisfied with plants bought elsewhere, we believe our special strains of many of the newer varieties will make them as profitable to you as they have been to thousands of others who are now regular customers.



*Rose The Queen*

## THE QUEEN

It is a very large, pure snow white, everblooming Rose; the flowers are extremely large, very full and double, and delightfully perfumed; a vigorous and healthy grower. It is considered by all who have tried it one of the most valuable pure white Roses for all purposes. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## MADAME MARGOTTIN

A famous Rose. Flowers very large, full and double, borne profusely. Color, dark citron-yellow, bright red center. A strong grower and a remarkably fine Rose in every way. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## COUNTESS OF GOSSFORD

Beautiful clear salmon pink shaded with saffron. The flowers are of handsome shape and fine substance. In every way it is a remarkably fine, hardy bush Rose which will grow to perfection in any garden. Price, one-year-old plants, 25 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.

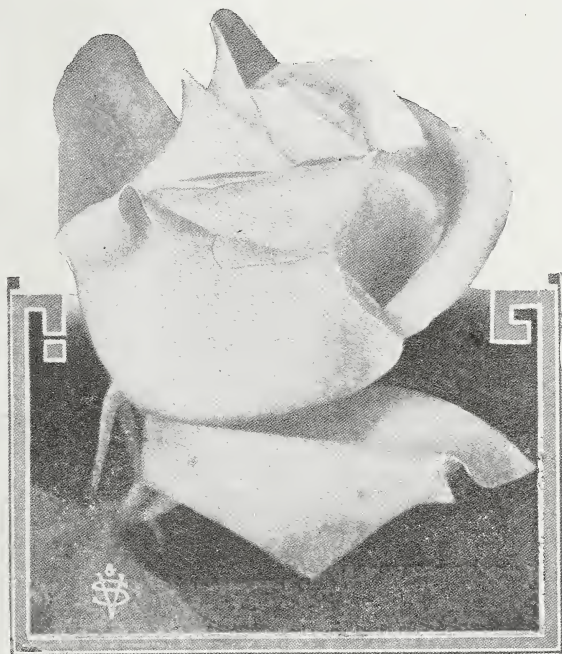
## PAULA

A vigorous, free Tea Rose, most deliciously fragrant; habit erect, buds well shaped, sulphur yellow with ochre center; like a better Etoile de Lyon. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## MARIE GUILLOT

*The Queen of White Roses.*

We recommend it as one of the most reliable white Tea Roses in cultivation, especially for outdoor culture. The color is pure white, sometimes faintly tinged pale yellow. The flowers are beautifully made, very large, full and double; the buds are very pretty of sweet fragrance. Anyone who has not seen this splendid variety growing at its best in the open ground can not conceive of the lovely beauty of its large, bold, handsome flowers. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.



*Marie Guillot*  
*Pure White, Tinged Pale Yellow*



## WILLIAM NOTTING

*"A Grand Bold Flower; Coral-Red; Center  
Bright Salmon."*

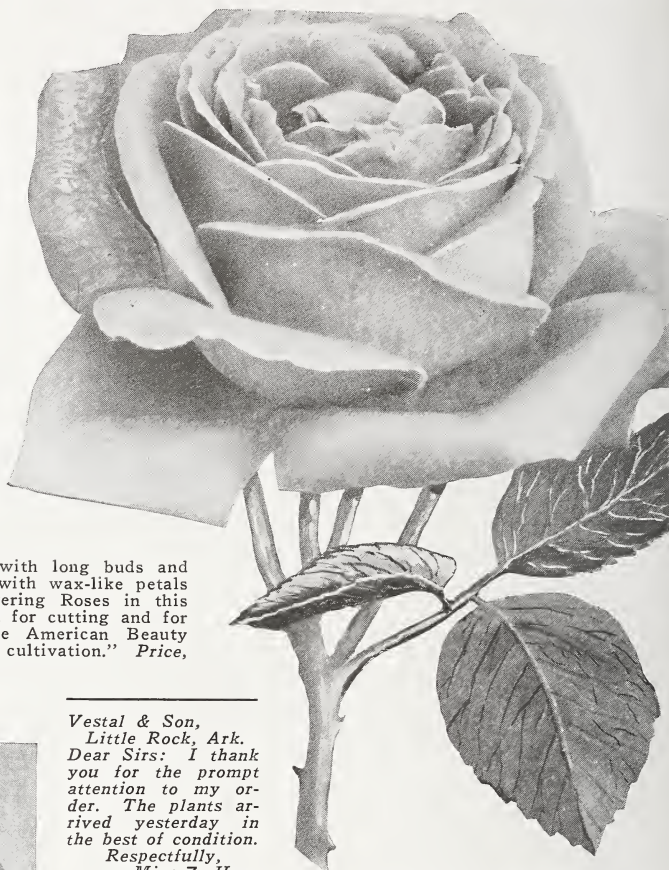
In all the range of colors among Hybrid Teas it stands unique and quite distinct. Its color is coral-red, center bright salmon; flowers large, full and of splendid form, a grand, bold, well-built flower, perfect in shape and form, of the most modern type, extra perpetual flowering. A grand exhibition and garden Rose, with a perfect habit of growth, the most attractive color; a really superb variety; very fragrant. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## MAD. FRANCISCA KRUGER

A really remarkable yellow Rose. We class this as one of the best among the yellow shades. A strong, vigorous grower, blooming constantly and much harder than the average Tea Rose. Stands heat and cold better than any of its color. Flowers beautifully formed, large, full and double and of a coppery yellow color, superbly tinted. This Rose is a great favorite with us because of its splendid merits. Price, one-year, 20 cents; two-year, 75 cents.

## WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY

The best White Rose in existence. Pure snow-white, with long buds and immense, perfectly double flowers, 4 to 5 inches across, with wax-like petals and very durable. It is one of the most continuous-flowering Roses in this excellent class. Hardy everywhere that Roses grow. Good for cutting and for garden decoration. The Garden, England, says: "White American Beauty is universally admitted to be the finest White Rose in cultivation." Price, one-year, 30 cents; two-year, \$1.25.



Vestal & Son,  
Little Rock, Ark.  
Dear Sirs: I thank  
you for the prompt  
attention to my  
order. The plants ar-  
rived yesterday in  
the best of condition.  
Respectfully,  
Miss Z. H.,  
Harrison, Ark.  
June 18, 1920.

William Notting  
Coral Red, Center Bright Salmon



American Beauty

## A Queen Among Roses American Beauty

*Attains Marvelous Perfection Wherever Roses Are Grown  
the Fame of the American Beauty Rose is Known.*

In all the wide world this proud and majestic Queen reigns supreme as the most beautiful, most massive, most gorgeous and exquisitely fragrant Rose of its color now known. Its position is more secure today than ever before. The glory, the charm, magnificent growth and exquisite form of flowers are simply beyond description; color, rich, glowing crimson, shaded and veined; flowers immense in size, wonderfully double and beautifully formed, with the fragrance of the old Damask Rose; growth the most vigorous of any Rose we know of outside of Jeanette Heller; foliage large, leathery and of deepest green, especially free from insect attacks. Hardy in all sections of the country, but in cold climates should have careful winter protection. A splendid garden Rose. This great Rose should be in every American home. Its magnificent beauty, wonderful fragrance and extraordinary merit must appeal to the patriotic instincts of every true American. Price, extra large two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each.

**CONSIDERED THE LARGEST FLOWERING  
ROSE GROWN.**





## BEAUTIFUL YELLOW ROSE LADY HILLINGDON

*"Everybody Can Grow It"*

It has long willowy stems that are in no sense weak, as the buds are held upright; has a long slender pointed bud of brilliant deep golden yellow, and a striking peculiarity of this Rose is that each day the golden-yellow color becomes deeper yellow and more intense, unlike all other yellow Roses of which we are familiar, as invariably the tendency after being cut is to get lighter in color. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## PRESIDENT TAFT

It is without question the most remarkable of all pink Roses. It has a shining, intense deep pink color possessed by no other Rose. It is a fine grower, free bloomer, good size and form, fragrant, and in a class by itself as to color. Mr. Frank Good, who is probably familiar with more Roses than any man in America, says: "Talk all you want to about the Rose President Taft, and then you will not say enough." *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## ETOILE DE LYON

This magnificent Tea Rose is a rich golden yellow; a strong, healthy and vigorous grower, immense bloomer, bearing flowers and buds early and late. The flowers are very deep, rich and full, excellent substance, very sweet. Surely one of the best and most beautiful yellow Tea Roses for general planting ever introduced. Remarkably hardy, both as to heat and cold; frequently standing the winters here uninjured in open ground without protection, and blooming nicely all through the hottest part of the summer. *Price, 20 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## MAD. DE WATTEVILLE

The Tulip Rose. The color is a magnificent shade of creamy yellow, richly colored with rosy blush; the large petals are bordered with bright crimson, giving it a very striking and beautiful appearance. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## ALICE ROOSEVELT

*An Improved Mme. Chateaufort*

A rare and very beautiful Rose of novel and distinct color, rich pink or rose flushed with orange and fawn. Flowers large, well filled and very fragrant. A strong, healthy grower and free bloomer; quite hardy and fine for the yard or garden. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## GEN. ARNOLD JANSSEN

**GEN. ARNOLD JANSSEN.** Claimed to have all the good qualities of Jonkheer J. L. Mock as an outdoor Rose. Color, a deep glowing carmine. Free bloomer. Buds long and pointed on long, stiff stems. Equally as good for forcing. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

# "GREAT TRIAL COLLECTION OF VESTAL ROSES"

## 12 ROSE BUSHES FOR \$1.00—8¼ CENTS EACH

MORE THAN FIFTY THOUSAND OF THESE GREAT TRIAL COLLECTIONS SOLD TO DATE

Here is the greatest collection of Roses for the money ever offered by anyone. We stake our reputation on this collection. We have made it the basis for a world-wide reputation, and up to date over 55,000 collections have been sold to satisfied customers.

**ALL MAGNIFICENT PLANTS. SURE TO BLOOM THE FIRST YEAR. A TRIAL WILL CONVINCING YOU. THINK OF THE PLEASURE FROM SUCH A SMALL INVESTMENT.**

Our great stock of Roses contains many very fine varieties which our catalogue does not describe in detail, every way the equal, if not superior, to the popular favorites.

Amongst these Roses are some of the finest ever grown by anybody anywhere; Roses that combine such beauty of form, richness of color, freedom of bloom and hardiness and health as to make them the equals, if not the superiors, of many popular favorites.

We want you to know these Roses as we do, hence we make this remarkable offer. If you will send us \$1 we will forward twelve of them, all different kinds, no two alike, properly labeled, postpaid, and safe arrival guaranteed. You will not be disappointed in these Roses—take our word for it. They will bloom this year throughout the season, and will continue each succeeding year to bloom more profusely, and be a source of joy forever.

This offer is only made to induce you to give us a trial, and it will be to our interest to send only a fine assortment of good Roses, well rooted, that are sure to bloom freely the first year.



# PINK COCHET AND WHITE COCHET STANDARD PINK AND WHITE ROSES

## PINK MAMAN COCHET

This superb Rose is well known as a queen among Roses, one of the best and most beautiful varieties ever grown, and quite hardy. The flowers are of enormous size, very full and of great depth and substance. Color, rich coral-pink, elegantly shaded with rosy crimson; has broad, thick, shell-like petals and makes superb long-pointed buds; immense bloomer, and flowers the whole season. Deliciously sweet and a hardy, vigorous grower. It ranks among the very finest hardy everblooming Roses. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## WHITE MAMAN COCHET

A most magnificent snow-white Rose, with sometimes a faint tinge of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom as the Pink Cochet, the same magnificent form of buds and flowers, and the same hardiness—standing at the very head of all Roses as the best white kind for open ground culture. Vigorous as an oak and hardy everywhere. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## WELLESLEY

*"As Fine as a Rose Can Be"*

Wellesley is a Hybrid Tea Rose, as fine as a Rose can be; has good-sized flowers and blooms continuously. The bud, when first opening, is a beautiful shade of bright pink and the flower retains this perfect coloring until it drops its petals. Blooms continuously the whole season through, and gives fine stems for cutting. Will stand the winters any place south of the Ohio River, but north of that line it should be protected. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## NEW ROSE WM. R. SMITH

*A Vigorous, Healthy Grower, Excellent in Quality and Beautiful in Bloom.*

Whether you live East, West, North or South, whether you wish one Rose or 1,000, here is a Rose which has our unqualified endorsement. It will thrive abundantly in almost any reasonable location. The flowers are large, full and double, and most exquisitely formed. The petals are so firm they look like wax, softly curled, colored cream with flesh tint tips, buff yellow base and the center a heart of pink. Perfect buds. The flowers are borne on long, strong stems, just right for making bouquets. Fragrance is delightful. You will admire the foliage, too, deep green leaves on red stems and the new growth of rich garnet; the plant will grow for you vigorously, is among the hardiest in this class and blooms abundantly. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

Jos. W. Vestal & Son., Little Rock, Ark.

Dear Sirs: I received my box of plants yesterday and was more than pleased with them. They were all in fine condition.

Yours truly,  
April 6th, 1920. A. V. M., Simms City, Texas.

## FREIHERR VON MARSHALL

*Wonderfully Strong Growing and Hardy*

As an outdoor Rose it has no superior. It has wonderfully beautiful foliage and produces large, full, beautifully shaped flowers, which are borne in profusion all through the season. Magnificent crimson-scarlet Hybrid Tea Rose with long and pointed buds; deliciously fragrant. Wonderfully strong growing and hardy. Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

JOS. W. VESTAL & SON,  
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Gentlemen: Received my order all O. K. and will say that everything was in splendid condition. I certainly appreciate the good assortment which you sent. I think if our "Oklahoma wind" does not get the best of them I will have some pretty flowers this summer.

Again thanking you... Respectfully,

April 13th, 1920.

B. N., El Reno, Okla.



*The Grand Rose Wellesley—Flowers Bright Pink*

Before laying this book aside, make up your order. This is the time to start a Rose garden. These magnificent Rose plants have been grown for you. This is no experiment, for, with ordinary garden soil, you will succeed. Order early, order now, time is slipping by. Have no hesitation. Over 200,000 satisfied buyers can and do testify to the fact that our famous Vestal "Roses," all on their own roots, pot-grown, ready-to-plant kind, are the best Rose plants grown on this continent and, their splendid quality considered, they are by far the cheapest.



# Vestal's Twelve Best Garden Roses

**12 STRONG, VIGOROUS, HARDY ROSE PLANTS  
TRIED AND TRUE EVERBLOOMING VARIETIES \$1.75**

*Including the Great Garden Roses*

*RADIANCE, PINK COCHET, MOCK, ALEXANDER HILL GRAY AND EIGHT OTHERS*

Twelve Best Garden Roses that anyone can succeed in growing without special care. Selected to combine quality and a variety of charming colors that will be welcome in any Rose garden, and for the benefit and convenience of those who prefer to leave the selection to us. Every spring we receive thousands of letters asking us to name a collection of Roses—the best kind for general home culture. Of our vast collection, the twelve varieties named below are in our opinion among the best garden Roses for all sections of the country. Hardiness, vigorous growth, freedom of bloom, color and beauty of flower make them the best collection for amateur planting. They are all strong, vigorous growers, bloom abundantly, and among the hardiest of Roses. They will bloom the first summer and every succeeding summer. Best about them, however, is the beauty of the flowers, in form, color, fragrance, every way. If planted in your garden, you'll like them, we feel sure.

**ALEXANDER HILL GRAY.** Every shoot crowned with a flower bud which develops with perfect form. Color described: "Solid, deep-Marschal-Niel-like lemon yellow."

**JONKHEER J. L. MOCK.** Clear imperial pink, reverse of petals rosy, silvery-white; blooms of magnificent size.

**MADISON.** We have white Roses that have elegant buds, but when full bloom are not all that is desired. This Rose combines both these good qualities. Color, a pure white.

**MRS. B. R. CANT.** A fine garden variety of even shade of bright rose, round and full.

**MAMAN COCHET.** A most wonderfully beautiful Rose, of great value. The color is fleshy pink, with the inner side of petals silvery rose. One of the finest of everblooming Roses.

**MRS. AARON WARD.** A most striking color—Indian yellow shading to lemon cream at edges of petals. Very large and full, or refined form, cupped and very deep, effectively showing the golden heart.

**OPHELIA.** Brilliant salmon-shaded with rose on outer edges of petals, with a heart of glowing peach-pink and orange-yellow blending, all passing finally to lighter shades.

**PRINCE D'ARENBERG.** Brilliant, fiery scarlet, shaded maroon; admirably formed buds, massive petals and perfect form.

**RADIANCE.** A brilliant rosy-carmine, displaying beautiful rich and opaline pink tints in the open flower; the form is fine, largest size and full, with cupped petals. The bud is large, brilliant, radiant. It blooms constantly, delightfully fragrant and is so healthy that it may be said to be immune against diseases.

**WM. R. SMITH.** The flowers are large, full and double, and most exquisitely formed. The petals softly curled, colored cream, with flesh tint tips, buff yellow base and the center a heart of pink.

**FRANZISKA KRUGER.** Probably the best of all round bedding Roses we have. Its shadings of deep, coppery yellow stand distinct and unique.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.** As a bedding Rose this is one of the finest and most useful varieties. The color is brightest scarlet, shading to deep, rich velvety crimson.

*We will supply one each of the Twelve Vestal Garden Collection of Roses in two-year-old plants, for \$7.50. By express only.*

## Plant Them Anywhere

These Roses will grow to perfection anywhere and produce in gorgeous abundance THIS YEAR their exquisitely beautiful blooms, whose fragrance will, like incense, prove a benediction of gladness and contentment to you, your family and your friends. These beautiful children of nature, so inexpensive, so alluring, so pure and undefiled, with their wondrous beauty will enrich and sanctify the homes of rich and poor alike. They will grow anywhere, in ordinary garden soil. Plant them early or late, which ever suits your purpose best, and remember that every plant is a perfect specimen, now growing in large pot or crock, and has been especially prepared for amateur planting.





# Vestal's Hardy Annual Blooming Roses

*All of Ironclad Hardiness. For Permanent Outdoor Planting. Selected for Those Who Want Roses That Will Stand the Severest Climate and Give Satisfaction in Blossoms.*

These are the Roses which have given the month of June its poetic name, as it is at that time they bring forth their flowers in all their glory, but some varieties bear occasionally during the summer months. These "June Roses" are perfectly hardy in all sections of the country and are particularly suited for permanent planting.

This class is considered the most valuable of all Roses, because they bear the largest, sweetest and most brilliant colored flowers, and are so hardy and vigorous they live over winter without protection and continue to bloom regularly from year to year. Some do not bloom until the second year, but after becoming established, will bloom freely during the summer and autumn months.

These Roses are especially suited to plant in all the Northern States; also in the colder parts of the States of Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, Arkansas, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado and Texas.

*Price of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size plants, 30 cents each; any 2 for 50 cents; two-year-old plants, all on own roots, \$1.00 each.*

**ANNA DE DIESBACH** (*Glory of Paris*). Most lovely brilliant carmine, long, pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers; very full and double and delightfully sweet. A vigorous grower and fine bloomer. One of the hardiest of the well known, desirable Roses.

**BALL OF SNOW**. Pure snowy-white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale rose, flowers medium size, full and fragrant, blooms the first year all the season.

**BLACK PRINCE**. Much sought after because of its dark crimson flowers, which are shaded so deeply as to be almost black; cupped large, full, fine-shaped.

**CLIO**. A really grand Rose. Recommended by expert growers as the finest Rose of this type. Strong, vigorous grower, handsome foliage. Flowers flesh color, shaded in the center with rosy-pink; large, of fine globular form, freely produced.

**EUGENE FURST**. A beautiful velvety crimson, with distinct shading of crimson-maroon.

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**. The regal "White American Beauty." The distinctive form and expression of its bud, half opened state and maturity are a three-fold revelation of exquisite charm and beauty. In our gardens they commence blooming with the June Roses, are conspicuous throughout the summer with their large flowers of waxy paper white, and yield their last armful with the first snows of an early fall.

**GEORGE DICKSON**. As near as we can describe it, the color is a velvety black-crimson, the back of the petal being heavily veined with deep pure crimson-maroon.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**. Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers, highly esteemed as one of the best and most desirable Roses.

**HUGH DICKSON**. Color, brilliant crimson shaded scarlet; large and fine form, opening well in all weathers. Very sweetly scented.

**J. B. CLARK**. The color is unique among Roses, being deep scarlet shaded blackish-crimson, with rich bloom like a plum; flowers are large and beautifully formed. Awarded the gold medal N. R. S.

**MAGNA CHARTA**. Extra large, full flowers, very double; of fine form, and sweet; clear, rosy red, beautifully flushed with violet-crimson; sure and profuse bloomer.

**MAD. CHARLES WOOD**. Begins to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continues all through the season; flowers extra large, double, full and quite fragrant; bright, fiery scarlet, passing to fine, rosy crimson, shaded with maroon; showy and handsome.

**MRS. JOHN LAING**. Immense flowers, full and double, borne in great profusion on long, stiff stems, and exceedingly sweet. Clear, bright shining pink, exquisitely shaded. Buds long.

**MARSHALL P. WILDER**. Flowers large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; bright scarlet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon.

**PAUL NEYRON**. The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink; clear and beautiful; very double and full; finely scented.



*Hardy June Rose, Anna de Diesbach*



# DWARF POLYANTHUS ROSES

*Plant Baby Ramblers for Bright Edging. They Bloom Unceasingly*

These are entirely distinct from the larger flowered Roses and there is a place for both in every garden, being so hardy and adapted to so many uses. Masses of 25 or more together will be found to make a very effective planting.

Price of all Baby Ramblers listed on this page: One-year-old plants, 20 cents each, \$1.50 per dozen; two-year-old plants, 60 cents each, \$6.00 per dozen.

## Anny Muller

This Rose is very much the same as the Crimson Baby Rambler, except in the color of the flowers, which are a shiny and brilliant pink, produced in the greatest profusion in large clusters. It is a splendid companion for the other excellent members of this family.

## Maman Tourbat

A new dwarf bush Rose of the Polyantha class and a splendid one for bedding and growing in pots. The flowers are china rose tinted peach and saffron.

## Pink Baby Rambler

*Orleans Rose*

The showiest and prettiest of the pink "Baby" Roses; this charming and dainty little variety is of beautifully rounded habit and is a huge bouquet of brilliant bloom, deep cerise, with showy center of pure white, florets not crowded, but of beautiful arrangement.

## Baby Doll

*Flowers borne in Clusters, Highly Fragrant*

This delightful little "sweet-heart" Rose is an everblooming Polyantha. The color is absolutely new, and quite startling in its brilliancy—golden-yellow tipped with clear, bright cerise. The little buds and blooms are perfect in form, elegantly finished and borne in small panicles or singly.

## Baby Tausendschon

A dwarf form of the Climbing Tausendschon or Thousand Beauties. It has all the characteristics of the climber in the charm of its flowers, but blooming the entire season. Flowers firm, white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine.



## Erna Teschendorff

The color of the flowers is the brightest red. The flowers are large and very double and are produced in constant succession throughout the whole season.

## Mlle. Cecile Brunner

A popular cluster following bush rose flowers in coloring, rosy-pink on creamy white ground. The variety is a free bloomer and a fine bedding sort.

## Bonnie Belle

Enormous trusses of dark cherry-red flowers. Unusually long buds for a Polyantha. Worthy of trial.

## Geo. Elger

A superb Polyantha Rose with just sufficient of Tea Rose blood to make it different from any in its class. It produces great quantities of lovely little buds of golden yellow, opening into miniature symmetrical Roses. Each bush is so loaded with blooms that they resemble a huge bouquet. Like all Roses of this class, it is free in growth and bloom, blooming all summer. Hardy everywhere with some protection. Foliage bright, attractive green. Excellent companion for the Baby Ramblers.

## Jessie

This new Baby Rambler is an ideal Rose for massing, bedding or for pot culture. The flowers, which are produced in huge clusters, are of a bright, cherry-crimson color which does not fade. Superb. The best of all the Baby Ramblers for pot culture.

## The New American Rose FRANCIS SCOTT KEY

*"The Rose for Every Garden of Every American Home." "Named in Honor of the Writer of the Star Spangled Banner."*

The new American Rose, Francis Scott Key, dazzling crimson, globular Rose of gigantic size. In this new Rose we find the embodiment of a perfect bloom combining size, form and color, the attributes of all exhibition flowers. This new American Rose produces intensely black grain scarlet-crimson blooms on strong shoots of sturdy erect growth, embellished with a foliage of the deepest green. The Rose is deliciously perfumed. In growth it is strong, vigorous and free-branching, with large and handsome foliage. Beautiful as are the hundreds at present in cultivation—as ideal varieties—for every purpose, the new American Rose, Francis Scott Key, is the most outstanding and represents the greatest effort in American hybridizing, possessing as it does, all the good qualities an American everblooming garden Rose should have. It should be of considerable interest to all and most gratifying that we should have such a wonderful Rose named in honor of the writer of *The Star Spangled Banner*. Francis Scott Key is the Rose for every American home and should be planted in every garden. Price, strong, one-year-old plants, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.



# CLIMBING American Beauty

Here we have the latest triumph in American Rose growing, the true Climbing American Beauty in all its promise and glory, the realized dream of every Rose grower. Just the same as American Beauty practically. Large flowers, each produced on separate stems, vivid rosy-crimson in color, with delicious fragrance. Borne in the greatest profusion throughout the growing season. Foliage tough and leathery, deep, glossy green, sun and insect proof. The youngest plants attain a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Hardy and as sturdy as an oak in all localities. Splendid in the South. For single specimens, trailing over verandas, for trellises, anywhere and everywhere, this Rose will give the greatest satisfaction. Words of description can hardly do justice to this magnificent Rose. *Absolutely true to name, on its own roots. Strong one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.*

## DR. W. VAN FLEET

Dr. W. Van Fleet bears flowers which, when open, run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high; petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkably delicate shade of flesh pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume, buds pointed, stems twelve to eighteen inches, and fine for cutting. The foliage is a peculiar shade of bronze green, large and glossy, with spines a bright bronze red. The variety is a vigorous grower, immune from mildew. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## TAUSENDSCHON, OR THOUSAND BEAUTIES

### *A Grand Hardy Climbing Rose*

A beautiful new climbing Rose which has leaped into popularity by its inherent merit and beauty. The name, "Thousand Beauties," is very appropriate and refers particularly to the wonderful variety of colorings found on any one plant. The flowers are soft pink at first, but as they age the most beautiful shades of carmine-rose, cerise, blush and soft white with a gleam of light yellow, soft crimson and intermediate tints; a combination of charming coloring, which is bewildering. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

**BESS LOVETT.** Resembles Climbing American Beauty in shape of bloom, but is very much brighter in color and much more fragrant. The flowers are clear, bright red, of good size, and of double, full, cupped form, lasting a long time in good condition. Beautiful in bud and bloom and the most fragrant of the Climbing Roses. A vigorous grower and free bloomer. The large glossy foliage, like that of Silver Moon, greatly enhances the beauty of the flowers. *Price, 30 cents each; two-year, \$1.00 each.*

**ALIDA LOVETT.** Both buds and flowers are large; are of ideal form, are held on stiff stems a foot and a half to two feet long and the color is a lively bright shell-pink with shadings of rich sulphur at the base of petals—a combination that is both novel and beautiful. The flowers are of remarkable substance and long lived, whether cut or left to remain upon the plant, and are pleasantly perfumed. It is very much brighter than those of the justly popular Dr. Van Fleet Rose. *Price, 30 cents each; two-year, \$1.00 each.*



### SILVER MOON

*A Porch, Pillar and Archway Rose. American grown for American gardens. Cluster-flowering of striking color, with all the good points of its class. A Rose that will be prized as the years go by.*

## SILVER MOON

The flowers run four and one-half inches and over in diameter, clear silver white in color, petals of great substance and beautifully cupped. The center is filled with bright yellow stamens, a very attractive feature. It is very floriferous, the plants literally covering themselves with great Clematis-like flowers. They are borne on strong stems, twelve to eighteen inches long, and are delicately fragrant. The foliage is large and abundant, bronzy-green, glossy and practically immune from mildew. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

**CHRISTINE WRIGHT.** A most exquisite new Rose, a cross between Caroline Testout and an unnamed seedling; it is of strong climbing habit, with large, heavy, dark green foliage, which is immune to disease. The flowers are double, from three and one-half to four inches in diameter, borne singly and in clusters, of perfect form, beautiful in the bud and in the fully expanded flower; in color a most refreshing bright wild-rose pink; it flowers profusely during June, and continues more or less throughout the season. *Price, 30 cents each; two-year, \$1.00 each.*



A HARDY EVERBLOOMING PINK CLIMBING ROSE

# “CLIMBING COLUMBIA”

THE LATEST AND MOST BEAUTIFUL ROSE OF RECENT INTRODUCTION

Climbing Columbia introduced and offered for sale only by us. This Rose originated here on our place and no stock of it has yet been sold to any one. We control the entire stock of this magnificent Climbing Rose, so don't be misled by the claims of others. This Rose is a sport of the well-known Hybrid Tea Rose, "Columbia," and has all the desirable features of its parent, with a remarkable climbing tendency, growing 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Foliage deep glossy green, immune from disease and insects. Hardy in any location. Blooming with the greatest freedom the entire season. Equally as well in the far South as in the North. Buds and blooms of immense size, often measuring six inches in diameter, and perfect formation, borne singly on long shoots, thus making it an ideal one for cutting. Buds long and pointed, same as "Columbia," opening full and double. Petals large. Color, clear imperial pink with paler edges, beautifully dark veined; delightfully fragrant. This Rose has so many good qualities that we predict it will soon be one of the leaders in its class, and those who are fortunate enough to secure a plant of it this season will be able to enjoy its beauty and be the envy of their less fortunate neighbors for several seasons, as our stock is limited, and orders will be filled in rotation in which they are received. Price, strong first size or one-year-old plants, from 2 1/2-inch pots, 60 cents each, 2 for \$1.00, postpaid; larger size, \$1.00 each. All grown on their own roots, and good, clean, healthy stock.

## Climbing White Maman Cochet

*The Sensational, New, Hardy, Everblooming, White Climbing Rose, Long Sought For.*

Just as the old favorite White Cochet is one of the very best of all White Tea Roses, so we believe this new White Climbing Tea will jump into the widest popularity. It blooms continuously all summer, bearing the greatest profusion of perfect White Cochet Roses, and the plant grows with wondrous strength and vigor. This is without doubt one of the finest white everblooming Climbing Roses ever introduced, and can be procured from very few concerns. Its scarcity makes it valuable, and it appeals strongly to those who like to have something different from their neighbors. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.

## Climbing Pink Maman Cochet

No Rose we grow is so popular as Maman Cochet. Here we have an exact counterpart of that popular variety, except that it is a vigorous climber. All will welcome this new Rose. No word is needed to emphasize the value of this grand climber, which has retained all of the good qualities of the parent, in addition to its climbing habit; it has already awakened a lively interest among Rose growers. Flowers are large, double and pink, like the bush Maman Cochet Rose. Specially recommended. Price, 30 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.

## AMERICAN PILLAR

If ever there was a Rose constituted to stand the trying conditions of our American climate, we have it in this unique, hardy, free-blooming climber. It will thrive in poor soil as well as in rich, and insists on growing vigorously. It has stout, thick, curving branches, rather thorny, but furnished with an abundance of glossy dark green leaves. It is one of the first to start growth in the early spring, and here holds its leaves of lively green till far past Thanksgiving Day, and it is seldom troubled with insects. It begins blooming here early in May. Single flowers of rich, rosy pink approaching brilliant carmine, just a plint of white in the center, and long stamens of beautiful golden yellow. The blossoms—four to six layers deep—are arranged in large-flowered clusters all over the plant. We estimated certainly not less than 3,000 flowers on one young bush. A tremendous grower, with its thick vigorous canes, it is without doubt one of the most valuable single climbing Roses in existence and is unsurpassed for planting singly or as a hedge. In the autumn it is again a brilliant show of color with its pretty clusters of bright red seed-hips which remain on the bush until well into winter. Price, 20 cents each; two-year, \$1.00 each.

## FOR HEDGE PURPOSES

American Pillar makes strong canes that grow upright several feet before bending over, therefore a magnificent hedge can be made with this variety without the necessity of providing a support. In May the entire hedge becomes covered from base to tip with the exquisite, delicately fragrant blooms, entrancingly beautiful. Dozen rates, one-year, 12 for \$2.00; two-year, 12 for \$10.00.

J. W. Vestal & Son,  
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Gentlemen: I received both shipments of flowers about the first of the month. All of the plants were in living condition and were so very carefully packed for shipping. I am so well pleased with the plants that I expect to place an order with you in the future. Many, many thanks for the extra roses. Illness has caused the delay in acknowledgement of flowers. Permit me to again thank you for the plants, I am,

Sincerely yours,  
Mrs. J. W., Coleman, Texas.

April 21, 1920.





## MARECHAL NIEL

### *The Famous Rose*

The fame of the superb yellow Rose, Marechal Niel, with its large, deep, golden-yellow flowers, is world-wide. It is almost universally held to be the finest Rose for indoors or outdoors, where the climate admits of its cultivation. Its magnificent golden-yellow flowers are almost massive in dimensions, and reports from growers tell of single plants showing one to two thousand blooms at a time. It is of strong growth and beautiful foliage. It is grand in petal, shape, color, fragrance, lasting qualities and size, an extremely free bloomer and flowers throughout the season. Contrary to many Roses, which lose their color after opening, Marechal Niel decidedly improves and takes a deeper yellow after being kept for a day or two. The tea fragrance is strongly present in this Rose. It is a variety which practically stands by itself. *Price, 20 cents each; stronger plants, 50 cents; two-year-old plants, \$1.00.*

## CLIMBING WOOTTON

To our mind this great Rose is to be classed with Mrs. Robert Peary and other great climbing varieties for these reasons: It is perfectly hardy, has no weak spots, grows with wonderful vigor, blooms continuously throughout the growing season, produces flowers that are nothing less than superb, both in beauty and in fragrance. If there is such a thing as having one Rose more beautiful than another, we think this variety may be entitled to this distinction. It is a strong, rampant climber, growing in one season to a height of from ten to fifteen feet, with large, heavy, insect-proof foliage. It produces in most wonderful profusion its superbly-formed flowers, which are bright magenta-red, passing to violet crimson, richly shaded. The flowers are large, full and regular, with thick, leathery petals, and deliciously scented. Make beautiful buds. *Price, 20 cents each; large size, 75 cents each.*

## CLIMBING CLOTHILDE SOUPERT

### *Hardy, Everblooming Climbing Rose*

Quick and abundant bloomer and healthy, vigorous growth. The flowers are two and one-half to three inches across, and perfectly double, rich creamy-white, sometimes tinted with blush and borne in immense profusion, the whole growing season from June to November; handsome, glossy green foliage, not subject to insects or disease. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## CLIMBING METEOR

A superb everblooming climbing Rose. A sport from Meteor, famous for its magnificent flowers. True climbing habit, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Free, persistent bloomer, with magnificently formed buds and flowers. Dark, velvety crimson, the equal of any Rose in cultivation. Hardy, with protection, and will give absolute satisfaction. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## CLIMBING QUEEN'S SCARLET

Climbing China. A genuine Queen's Scarlet with a vigorous climbing habit; will make a fine Rose. Color, velvety crimson. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## CLIMBING PAUL NEYRON

New climbing Rose, with a strong, sturdy constitution, and bearing immense lovely pink Roses like its parent, Paul Neyron. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants \$1.00 each.*

## LAMARQUE

A fine climber for greenhouse and conservatories; pale canary yellow, almost white; beautiful buds; large, full flowers, very double and sweet. *Price, 20 cents each; large plants, 75 cents each.*

## DUCHESSE DE AUERSTADT

Color, vivid nankeen-yellow. A fine climbing Tea Rose, and one that is very popular on the Pacific Coast. We highly recommend it. *Price, 20 cents each; large plants, \$1.00 each.*

## REINE MARIE HENRIETTE

A strong growing and climbing Rose, making a grand pillar Rose in the South. Flowers full and well formed; rich, brilliant crimson. A grand Rose and a fine companion to Marechal Niel. Try it. *Price, 20 cents each; large size, \$1.00 each.*

## CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS

A sport from Devoniensis, from which it differs only in climbing habit of growth. It is fully as productive as the old sort, and being more vigorous, is justly a grand Rose. Color, white, tinged with blush; very sweet. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## RUTH VESTAL

A strong and vigorous grower and true everbloomer. Pure snow-white buds, and flowers are of the largest size and perfect form. Exceedingly fragrant. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## GLORIE DE DIJON

A magnificent Rose; one of the finest in every respect. Large, perfectly double and tea-scented; color, rich creamy-white, beautifully tinged with amber and pale blush. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, \$1.00 each.*



# FAMOUS RAMBLER ROSE

## DOROTHY PERKINS (Pink)

This beautiful new Rambler Rose is becoming even more popular than the original Crimson Rambler. And well it may, for it is indeed a finer pillar Rose than that famous variety. The growth of a single season is wonderful, its handsome, glossy green foliage being one of its strong points. The flowers, however, are its crowning beauty, being borne in immense clusters of fifteen to thirty, and possess great lasting qualities. Flowers a beautiful shell-pink, very double, with petals artistically crinkled. Remarkably pretty pointed buds. This Rose is extremely hardy and will withstand the coldest weather. We advise our friends to plant this variety where it can be allowed plenty of room, and it will give an account of itself. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## EXCELSA

*New Fiery-Red Rambler Rose*

A splendid new Climbing Rose, remarkable in many ways, but particularly in the brilliant fiery-red or intense crimson-scarlet of the flowers. The intensely brilliant color is accentuated by the great masses of giant trusses produced on the plants, and furthermore by the contrast with the deep green glossy foliage. The flowers are very double; they are larger than any of the Rambler Roses and borne in trusses of thirty to forty on each; the body of the flower is brilliant in color, but toward the edges of the petals they light up with a wonderful scarlet-crimson. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## WHITE DOROTHY

*A White Climbing Rose of Indescribable Charm and Vigorous Growth.*

This wonderful Climbing Rose is so exquisitely beautiful that it is well worth all the prominence it can be given. It is a rampant grower and in a remarkably short time will cover a large trellis with shining foliage of splendid texture and free from mildew or attacks of insects. The flowers are of a brilliant, glistening white and are borne in great trusses, completely covering the plant, until it resembles a snow drift. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## CLIMBING HELEN GOULD

Probably no red Rose has held its place secure in the hearts of Rose lovers for so long a period as has the beautiful Helen Gould. We now have the pleasure of introducing this famous Rose in climbing form. Everybody is familiar with the warm, water-melon-red color of its charming flowers. This is a grand climber. Be sure and try it. *Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.*

## CLIMBING GRUSS AN TEPLITZ

A climbing form of Gruss an Teplitz. Unquestionably one of the finest climbing Roses ever introduced. The color when first opening is very dark rich crimson, quickly changing to bright scarlet, shading to velvety fiery red. The flowers are very showy and handsome. Remarkably healthy and vigorous; almost immune from all diseases. *Price, one-year-old plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 75 cents each.*

## You Surely Have a Place

*For Some of the Perfectly Hardy Climbing Roses. You Can Use Them on*

*Porches, Arches, Arbors, Pergolas, Old Stumps of Trees and Clothes-Posts*

*Grow them on walls to hide unsightly buildings, on tops of banks to hang over the retaining walls; use them in tree-form and have one at every fence-post around your place.*

*Pink Dorothy Perkins Rose*

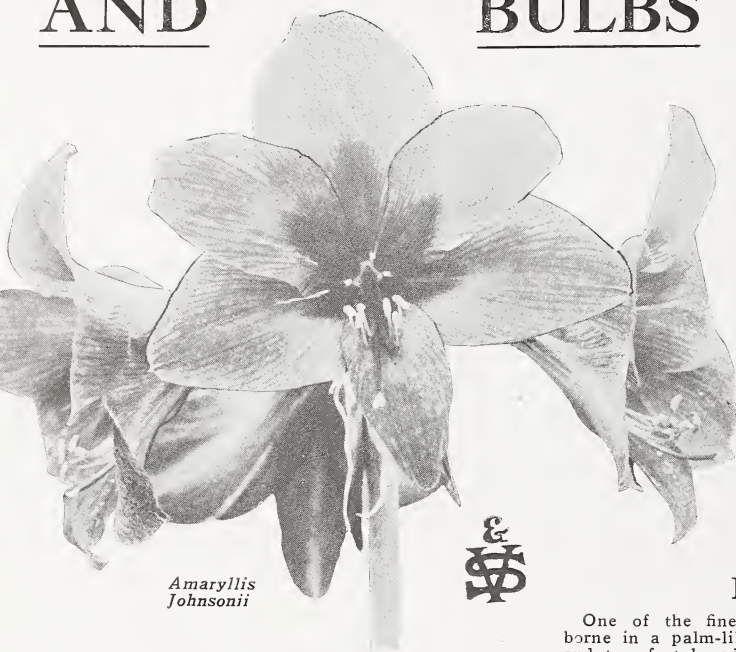
*Here is a beautiful hint, easily and cheaply adopted by anyone whose buildings are bare.*



# MISCELLANEOUS BEDDING PLANTS

## AND

## BULBS



*Amaryllis Johnsonii*



### ACHYRANTHUS

Ranks with Coleus as a bedder, but more hardy. Retains its brilliant coloring all the season. Price, 10 cents each; 12 for 1.00.

**BRILLIANTISSIMA.** Leaves and stems of a beautiful ruby ed. Splendid for bedding.

**McNALLY.** Golden yellow, veined green.

### ALTERNANTHERAS Or Dwarf Coleus

Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen; \$3.00 per 100

**AUREA NANA.** It is admirably adapted for ribbon lines, carpet bedding, or massing front lines in foliage beds. It is of compact growth. Color of foliage, bright golden yellow.

**BRILLIANTISSIMA.** Crimson, scarlet and pink. Its gorgeous color gives it the name of "Rainbow Plant."

**PARYONCHOIODES MAJOR.** It is the Alternanthera so largely used in all ornamental carpet gardening. It grows only about six inches high, and can be kept much shorter by shearing. The color is as bright when first planted as at any other time, and this is kept constantly. The color is brightest carmine.



*Tradescantia Tricolor—Wandering Jew*

### Wandering Jew

(*Tradescantia Tricolor*)

Most beautifully variegated purple, scarlet and white. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

### AMARYLLIS JOHNSONII

One of the most gorgeous bulbous plants grown. We have seen specimens of a few years' growth that completely filled a window. Nothing is more showy than this grand plant during late winter or early spring, bearing large flowers of intense crimson with a delicate white feather in each petal. Price, extra large bulbs, 60 cents each.

### ALOYSIA CITRIODORA

(Lemon Verbena)

The delightful fragrance of its leaves renders it indispensable in making bouquets. Price, 15 cents each.

### ALYSSUM

**LITTLE GIANT.** A great improvement on the old double Sweet Alyssum, it being of a more dwarf compact habit, with flowers twice as large. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

### ASPIDISTRA

One of the most useful house plants. On account of its ability to thrive indoors it has been frequently alluded to as "The Cast Iron Plant." It has long, broadly lanceolate leaves, gracefully disposed. 50 cents each.

### BANANA ORINOCO

One of the finest Bananas and fruits splendidly. The leaves are borne in a palm-like crown or cluster, each leaf three to five feet long and two feet broad; of a clear shining green, curved and crinkled in a most pleasing manner. The most beautiful foliage plant that can be grown outside of a hothouse. Grand for bedding out in the summer, for conservatory or warm window decoration. Can be kept unwatered in a warm cellar over winter. Price, 50 cents each. Extra large, \$1.00.

### ACALPHAS

Brighter and More Attractive Than Coleus

**FIRE DRAGON** (*Acalpha Tri-color*). A most wonderful plant, surpassing the finest Coleus or Begonia in the rich color of the leaves, which are rich and beautiful. Mottled and blotched with crimson and scarlet on green background. Foliage extra large and maintains its marking regardless of summer heat. Its most important feature is its wonderful qualification for bedding, as it will stand bedding out like a Coleus; in fact, in the sunniest place it produces the highest coloring. Price, 15 cts. each; 2 for 25 cents.



*Acalpha - Fire Dragon*

### AGERATUM

Useful in all summer bedding schemes, as well as for baskets and vases. In fact, they are indispensable for these purposes on account of the serious lack of blue shades among bedding plants. They appear to greatest value as an edging or massed in liberal quantities. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.



## CHOICEST FLOWERING BEGONIAS

*Price of All Begonias, Except Where Noted, 20 Cents Each.*

**ALBA PICTA.** Long pointed, slender leaves, thickly spotted with silvery white. Foliage small and elegant.

**ARGENTEA GUTTATA.** It has purple bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. Produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems.

**ALBA PICTA ROSEA.** This is a seedling of the Alba Picta crossed with Rubra. Foliage rich green, spotted with white; flowers on long, pendent stems, similar to Rubra. Color, delicate rose; very free flowering.

**CUPRA.** A seedling of Metalica, with beautiful velvety leaves of dark green. A strong rapid grower. Bound to become popular.

**MARGUERITE.** Leaves a bronzy green, somewhat resembling Metalica, but giving a more bushy form. Light rose colored flowers.

**M. DE LESSEPS.** It is beautifully spotted with silver. A very strong, free growing variety that will succeed with ordinary care.

**PRESIDENT CARNOT.** A remarkable strong growing variety foliage very large; flowers beautiful coral red, in large pendent panicles.

**RED RUBRA.** This Begonia is still a great favorite. The flowers are a rich coral red, hanging in large pendent clusters; these, combined with the rich green foliage, make it one of the best plants for house culture.

**SANDERSONII.** Coral Begonia. One of the best flowering Begonias. The flowers are a scarlet shade of crimson, borne in profusion for months at a time.

**GLOIRE DE CHATELINE.** A very valuable variety that bids fair to become popular. It is an easy grower, free flowering, excellent both as a house plant and for bedding purposes.

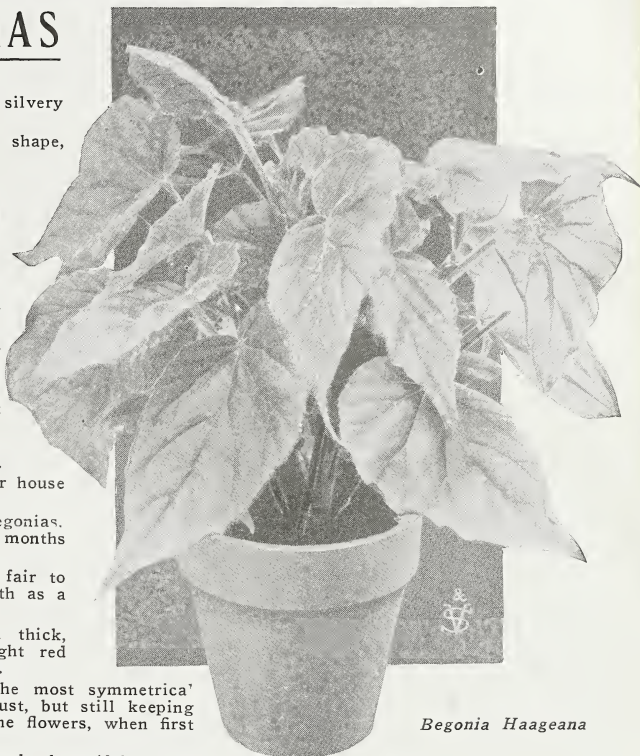
**THURSTONII.** A distinct and pretty shrubby variety, with thick, heavy foliage, which is of a rich metallic green above and bright red underneath; the flowers are a fine pink, rising well above foliage.

**GRACILIS LUMINOSA.** As the name implies it is one of the most symmetrical and yet graceful plants we have ever known; very strong and robust, but still keeping its shape so as to make a very attractive winter house plant. The flowers, when first opening, are bright cherry, changing to clear coral red.

**NITIDA ROSEA.** Glossy leaves of medium size, bloom extremely beautiful; large panicles of soft rose color.

**WHITE PEARL.** Very large, waxy white flowers, practically everblooming; growth rapid and bushy.

**PINK RUBRA.** We doubt if there is a pink flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but is a lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a pure pink flowering Begonia.



*Begonia Haageana*

TRY A FEW OF THESE  
BEGONIAS IN YOUR  
GARDEN



*Begonia Coralline Lucerne*

## BEGONIA HAAGEANA

A shrubby variety, good grower and free bloomer; leaves triangular; under side of leaf and stem hairy; the surface of a lustrous metallic or bronze color, veined darker, flowers white. *Price, 30 cents each.*

## BEGONIA CORALLINE LUCERNE

A superb new variety of the Coral Begonia, producing gigantic trusses of bronzy red flowers and flowering continuously from April to November. The foliage is dotted with silvery white. Blooms last from a month to six weeks, and are borne in immense clusters, almost hiding the plant. The color is bright coral-red, changing to a delicate pink. *Nice plants, 30 cents; 3 for 75 cents.*

## BEEFSTEAK BEGONIA

Sometimes called the "Strawberry Leaf" Geranium; very ornamental; leaves silver top, red underneath; very pretty flowers. *Each 30 cents.*

## NEW BEGONIA BRILLIANT

(*New Ever-Blooming Flowering Begonia.*) Freest blooming variety known; of easy culture, low bushy habit, and literally covered the entire year with a wealth of beautiful Christmas red flowers with yellow stamens. It well merits the name of Ever-Blooming Begonia. *Price, 20 cents each.*

*For a profusion of brilliant and varied bloom; for richness and variety of foliage, a good collection of Begonias has no equal*



# MAGNIFICENT NEW CANNAS

We offer the following magnificent new Cannas, improvements on existing varieties and sure to please all admirers of fine new sorts. These show the great improvement being made in this popular plant. In profusion of bloom they are remarkable; beginning early in summer they send up shoot after shoot, thus continuing in flower all summer. It is no exaggeration to say that the flower spikes, in size, richness, and diversity of color, are equal to many varieties of Gladiolus.



*City of Portland*

## VENUS

An exceedingly beautiful variety, at once the most delicate in coloring and texture, and as vigorous and long-seasoned as any Canna grown. Long, erect stems bear trusses of large size, perfect form and ever-clean freshness. The large, oval petals are exquisitely variegated; warm rose-pink, mottled near center, and edged with creamy-white. Makes a very pretty cut flower. Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## RICHARD WALLACE

A tall growing, wide flowered, heavy trussed canary-yellow, the largest and best of its color; bleaches very little. The longer we grow this variety, the more are we convinced it is the best all around yellow Canna we ever had. Price, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

## Special Prices on Varieties of Cannas

*In Quantity for Bedding.*

Order 10-cent Cannas at \$1.00 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100; order 15-cent Cannas at \$1.50 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100; order 20-cent Cannas at \$2.00 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100.

## THE PRESIDENT

By a sweeping majority, this Canna won the honor of being named "The President," for it is so surpassingly fine that no other red Canna could be a competitor. In color it is a rich, glowing scarlet, and the immense, firm, rounded flowers, 7 inches across when open, are produced on strong erect stalks well above the large, rich green foliage. The President is superior to any other red variety in the quantity and also quality of bloom, and the firm flowers are able to resist drought and heat to a remarkable degree. "This is one of the most marvelous Cannas ever produced." Price, 50 cents each.

## NOKOMIS

Like The President, this is a hybrid of the famous Firebird. The foliage is a combination of emerald-green and bronze, beautifully veined, making a lovely setting for the large, vivid crimson flowers. These flowers are most attractive, having a rich silky sheen on the petals and the color is darker than that of any other bronze-foliaged Canna. Price, 50 cents each.

## FIERY CROSS

This new variety is one of the most successful flaming reds obtainable in the taller growing kinds. The foliage is full and healthy, a rich bluish green; plant and flower spikes attaining a height of five to six feet. Flowers large, 15 to 20 showing at one time. Color, crimson scarlet. Price, 50 cents each.

## SNOWY WHITE CANNA

*"EUREKA"*

By all odds, the finest White Canna. Its great masses of snowy-white blossoms contrast finely with the splendid crimson and pink varieties, making the most gorgeous and showy flower beds for the lawn or garden it is possible to have. Strong plants, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## HUNGARIA

A magnificent pink Canna widely used for large solid beds. The petals are large and waxy, made up into big round, full trusses. Its color forcibly suggests the well known Paul Neyron Rose, and is unquestionably one of the most popular pink Cannas ever produced. Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## CITY OF PORTLAND

The color is a beautiful glowing pink, deeper in color than its parent, Mrs. Alfred F. Conard, and the flowers are produced in greatest profusion on strong, erect, branching stalks. It is an early and continuously bloomer, blooming freely in hot or cool weather. Canna experts last season pronounced it the "finest all-round pink Canna to date." Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## SOUV. D'ANTOINE CROZY

The color is an intense scarlet bordered with a band of deep golden-yellow. The foliage is broad and deep green. It grows about three to five feet in height, making a fine variety for the border of beds. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

## WYOMING

A beautiful Orchid-flowering variety, with rich purplish bronze foliage. Flowers are large as King Humbert, and of good substance; bright orange, slightly rimmed and flaked with rose. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

## TRIUMPH

A handsome shade of deep, rich crimson. Large flowers in fine, well built trusses, borne erect on strong stems. A good, vigorous grower and constant bloomer. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

## How to Arrange Cannas in a Circular Bed

Get the tallest-growing varieties in the center, and then carefully grade each succeeding circle, using dwarf kinds for the outside. Plant one Canna in center of bed, next six Cannas 18 inches apart in a circular row 18 inches from center. For each succeeding circle use six more Cannas than were used in the previous circle and make 18 inches farther away from the center. A 10-foot bed thus planted will contain 1 Canna in center, 6 in first circle, 12 in second circle and 18 in outer circle, all 18 inches apart.



# CHOICEST VARIETIES OF CANNAS

High-grade Cannas have for years been one of our leading specialties, and our fields the past season were a gorgeous riot of color from June to frost, and were admired by many visitors. To those who stopped to look closely at individual varieties, the wonderful improvement in Cannas was very manifest. No other bedding plant will give the same uniform good results in our varied and trying climate. They do well in all sections of the country and stand pre-eminently at the head of the list, succeeding in any sunny position in any kind of soil, but responding quickly to liberal treatment. For best results the beds should be spaded two feet deep and a generous amount of well-decayed manure of any kind thoroughly incorporated, and at all times supplying water freely. For best effect plant in large masses of one color, setting out the plants two feet apart.

## CHAS. HENDERSON

Rich crimson flowered Canna. A splendid dwarf, compact grower, throwing up direct, compact heads of bloom of immense size. The individual flowers are among the very largest. Color, dark crimson; center of the flowers marked with gold penciling. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

## BRANDYWINE

Makes a luxurious growth of dark bronze foliage and a magnificent display of fine, large flowers. Color is intense vinous red, beautifully dappled with deep crimson; two or three petals are sometimes narrowly edged with bright gold. Price, 20 cents; \$2.00 per dozen.

## THE WONDERFUL CANNA

### MME. CROZY

Color is a brilliant vermilion-scarlet, bordered with deep golden-yellow; the flowers are borne erect in great heads and in such profusion that they crown the plant with a blaze of glowing color. Price, 20 cents each; 3 for 50 cents; 6 for 90 cents; \$1.75 per dozen.

## ALLEMANIA

The giant of all Cannas. Produces the largest flowers. The outer petals are scarlet, with very broad, golden yellow border. Inside of bloom is scarlet and dark red. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## BURBANK

A giant in size. Beautiful, rich canary-yellow, the throat, finely spotted crimson. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## WABASH

Beautiful large, carmine-rose flowers, freely produced; the bronze foliage, combined with the pink flowers, produces an unusual and pleasing effect. An unusual Canna. Price, 50 cents each.

## DAVID HARUM

Bronze leaved; flowers of bright vermilion-scarlet, mottled with deep red. Plants, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

## GAIETY

Reddish-orange mottled with carmine and edged with yellow. The tongue is yellow and densely spotted with carmine. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

## MRS. ALFRED F. CONARD

This has become the most popular pink Canna ever introduced and it is unsurpassed for planting either singly or in large beds. Its exquisite salmon pink flowers are of largest size. Wonderfully profuse in blooming, large heads. Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## LOUISIANA

The flowers are like beautiful orchids, size often more than seven inches across, and every inch a vivid scarlet. A tremendous bloomer. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

## METEOR

A glorious red variety, or, to be exact, a deep crimson. It makes fine large trusses and blooms constantly. The effect produced by the brilliant colored flowers is very striking. Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## LAFAYETTE

Resembles the famous "Meteor," but the flowers are a more intense scarlet. The heads of bloom are carried erect above the healthy, green foliage, producing a brilliant effect in mass planting. Price, 40 cents each.



*Queen Helen or  
Yellow King  
Humbert*

## DRAGON

An incessant bloomer which keeps sending up new bloom-stalks until cut down by frost. Dark ox-blood red. Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## KING HUMBERT

*Scarlet Flowers, Bronze Leaves. Greatest Favorite Today*  
This remarkable Canna has been the sensation of the past eight years. It is a cross between the orchid-flowering and the French or Crozy type, combining the best features of both, the large flowers of one with the free blooming character of the other, and the handsome broad, tropical foliage. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

## QUEEN HELEN

*Or Yellow King Humbert*

A green-leaved sport of the popular King Humbert. A majestic, stately variety; with large massive foliage. It has the same habit of growth and free flowering qualities, but the flowers are bright yellow and lightly spotted with red. This is the best yellow Canna now on the market. The flowers are of the largest size, heads full and borne well above the foliage. Price, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.



# OUR BIG PRIZE WINNERS

*These Are Superb Sorts, Very Distinct Color, and Prize Winners Everywhere*

Price, 15 Cents Each; Six for 75 Cents; Twelve for \$1.25.  
The Largest Flowering and Latest Novelties.

These grand new Chrysanthemums we offer on this page are the very newest out, most of them being offered now for the first time, and will not be found in other catalogues. They are certainly world-beaters and we unreservedly guarantee them to be all we claim for them—the newest and finest “Mums” in the world. You can order from this list with absolute assurance that any one of them will be a beauty, and the price at which they are sold you will find very low by comparison with other catalogues published.

**AUTOCRAT.** A commercial variety of great promise. Color snow white; growth dwarf and robust.

**BUFF GLOBE.** This enormous globe shaped flower is identical with its parent, Good Gracious, in everything save color, which is a pale chrome yellow, shading to buff. A fine variety; try it.

**BETSY ROSS.** This is one of the largest white Chrysanthemums on exhibition at fall shows. Flowers of fine form. A pure snow white, a good, strong grower, in all a unique and beautiful variety.

**CHIEFTAIN.** A beautiful, incurving pink of perfect shape. Perhaps the finest incurved pink commercial variety in cultivation today.

**CHAS. RAZER.** A good commercial pure snow white, as handsome as Eaton.

**CHEYENNE.** Color, distinct chamois or buckskin, of large size.

**ELBERON.** Bright pink, finest incurved form, beautiful foliage and good stem, easy to manage.

**GLENVIEW.** The large Japanese blooms are dark bronze, sometimes showing a little of the Indian red lining.

**GOLDEN WEDDING.** The flowers are a great fluffy mass of clear golden yellow.

**HELEN LEE.** A very delicate flesh or light pink, incurved and of very large size.

**JOSEPHINE FOLEY.** The best white introduced last year. Purest white, strong in growth and stem. Early midseason.

**MARIGOLD.** A monster yellow; flower unsurpassed both in size and color in its season.

**MRS. M. R. MORGAN.** Very fine yellow; seedling of Timothy Eaton; splendidly shown last year.

**MRS. W. T. McNIECE.** Rosy lilac, reflexed form, excellent upright growth.

**MIDNIGHT SUN.** Extra good yellow of large size, unusually fine form, a rather flat, inrolling incurved, of great spread.

**MRS. H. H. WEEKS.** An immense flower with broad claw-like petals incurving to form a globe of white.

**TITANTIC.** Very large, as the name implies, even surpassing Wm. Turner in this respect. Probably the largest white, and of the easiest culture. Pure white in color, very broad, and deep flowers measuring fourteen inches in diameter.

**SUN GLOW.** An early bright yellow, with fine stem and foliage extending to the flower, a grand new variety, one of the largest and finest we have.

**YELLOW WM. TURNER.** The yellow sport from Turner; a necessity for collection and for variety.

**WILLIAM H. WAITE.** A very bright bronze, approaching crimson; strong growth.

**WM. TURNER.** A decided incurve of the purest white; fine form and a strong grower with clean foliage.

## OUR GRAND 60 CENT PRIZE SET

For only 60 cents we will send you six of the finest prize winning Chrysanthemums, that at ordinary prices would cost you four times as much.



*Specimen Chrysanthemum blooms grown by an amateur*

**MAJOR BONAFFON.** Golden yellow. Ball-shaped. Petals beautifully overlapping.

**MRS. WM. H. CHADWICK.** A very broad variety, with incurved petals of white, slightly tinted blush.

**MAUD DEAN.** Probably the most popular large pink.

**RICHMOND.** A new golden yellow; noticeable for its long blooming season, fine form, perfect fullness and silky finish. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**ROMAN GOLD.** A darker yellow than Golden Wedding.

**TIMOTHY EATON.** One of the largest, and a winner of every cup and prize for which it was entered. Purest white, of true globular shape.

## Special Offer

For \$1 we will send to any address, postpaid, 12 Choice Chrysanthemums, our selection, distinct and different. You will not be disappointed by leaving the selection to us.

GERANIUMS are still the favorite flower for the Window Garden, Window Boxes, for Beds in the Yard, and Spring Planting. Our stock is the finest collection of colors on the market.



## EARLY FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS

A selection of very early flowering varieties which will furnish an abundance of flowers under ordinary cultivation during October, after Dahlias and other tender plants have been cut by frost. *Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.*

**CLEMENTINE TOUSET.** A very large, loosely incurving bloom, flowering early in October. Pure white.

**CHRYSOLORE.** This new variety can be briefly described as an early Col. D. Appleton.

**DONATELLO.** Bright yellow, ball-shaped.

**MRS. C. C. POLLWORTH.** Derived from Chrysolore, showing similar shade of yellow color, with stiffer stems and better foliage.

**OCONTO.** White; fine large blooms on very strong stems; largely grown for its period, which is early midseason.

**OCTOBER QUEEN.** Snow white, with incurving center and horizontal outer petals. Very promising as an early.

**YELLOW TOUSET.** The yellow sport from C. Touset, exactly like it save in color.

**ROSE PERFECTION.** An early Chieftain blooming two weeks earlier than that fine pink variety.

One each of the eight Chrysanthemums described above  
for \$1.00.

## DECEMBER FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS

To those having a small greenhouse, or are prepared to give them protection in any way, the following varieties can easily be had in flower at the Christmas holidays. *Price, 20 cents each; set for \$1.00.*

**DECEMBER GEM.** A ball-shaped white, with pink stripe on edge of petals, giving a pink or pearly tint to the bloom.

**DECEMBER BEAUTY.** White with light pink shading, which is more pronounced in the open flower. Of sterling merit.

**EDWIN SEIDEWITZ.** A beautiful late, incurved, bright pink, maturing from Thanksgiving to early December. Surpasses all late pinks we have grown.

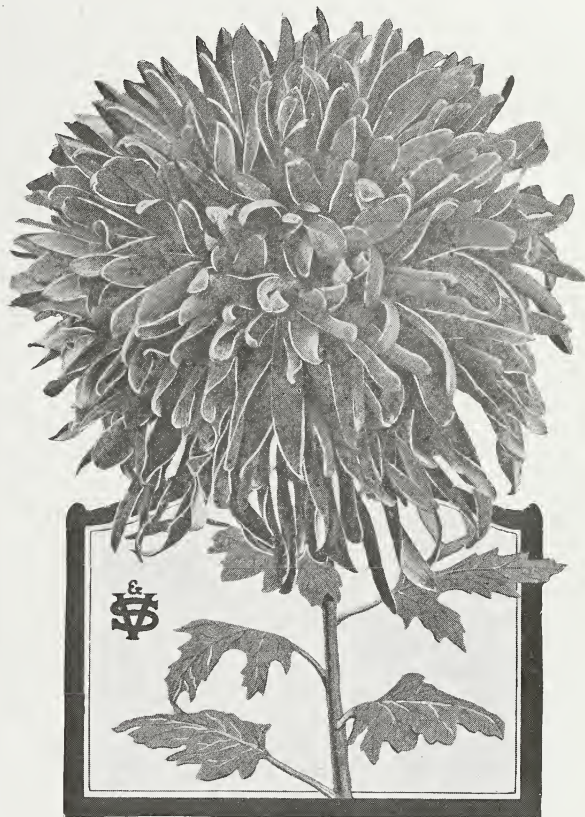
**HARVARD.** Japanese reflexed, very dark crimson; in perfection November 15th and later.

**NAGOYA.** Fine late yellow; can be grown for Thanksgiving if desired.

**WHITE SEIDEWITZ.** A pure white form of the beautiful pink Mrs. Seidewitz.

**CHRISTMAS GOLD.** A late flowering Pompon. Very bright yellow, producing flowers one inch in diameter and does not mature until December.

One each of the seven Chrysanthemums described above  
for \$1.00.



"HARVARD"  
Dark Red Chrysanthemum

BETTER THAN EVER

## GREAT "MAY DAY" SALE

FROM MAY 10 TO JUNE 10

**CHOICE PLANTS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.** In growing so many varieties of plants in such large quantities we can not anticipate orders and grow just what will be required of each variety to meet the demand. We always want to make sure we have enough of everything, and consequently we usually have a surplus of many of our choicest plants. Now, in order to close out our surplus stock at or near the end of the season we have decided to offer them at greatly reduced prices for thirty days after May 10, or from May 10 to June 10. Persons ordering these collections will be surprised at the number and value of the plants they will contain; in fact, were we to foot them all up at catalogue prices, you would find you were getting them at less than half price. We reserve the right to select varieties, but will allow purchaser to state for what purpose intended, whether for pot culture or bedding; but unless otherwise ordered, the collection will contain plants for both pot culture and bedding. All orders received prior to May 10th will be forwarded promptly on that date. *One Hundred Choice Plants by Express for \$5.00. Thirty-five Choice Plants for \$2.00.*

**NOTE**—Where patrons have no express office we will send the offer of 35 plants by parcel post for \$2.35.



# SINGLE OUT-DOOR CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Price, 15 Cents Each; Three for 40 Cents.

This section comprises the best varieties for cut sprays and are also useful for specimen plants. They are well adapted for pot culture, owing to their comparative dwarf habit. When used with front row or edging for planting, they give a touch of grace and beauty which is exquisite in the extreme. Those listed below make up a choice collection and are all highly recommended.

**ANNA.** Pure white, belongs to the true single section, having but one row of petals. Fine for pot plants.

**CLEA.** Growth upright, forming large sprays of a delicate shade of light pink.

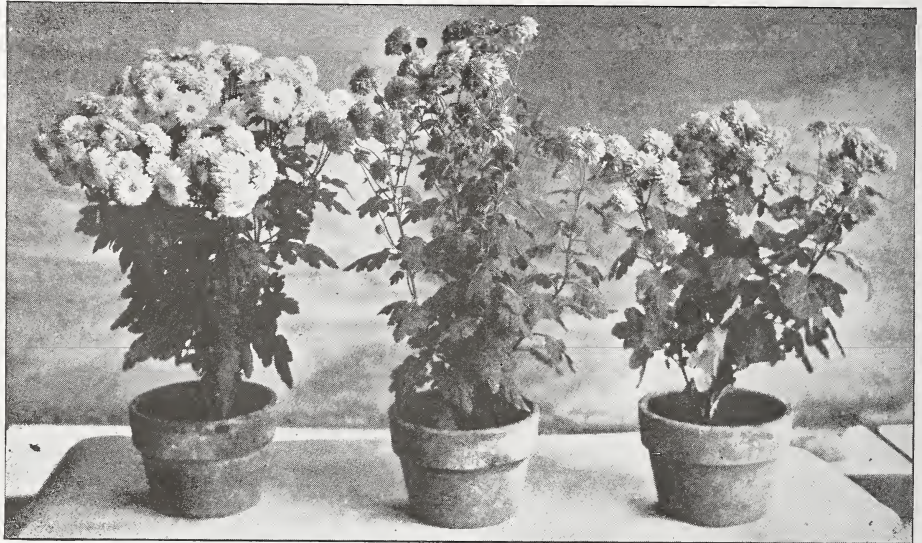
**CREDDIE MASON.** Bright crimson; medium-sized flowers make wonderful display.

**LADYSMITH.** Early pink; useful for bush plants.

**HILDA WELLS.** Beautiful Tuscan red, with a light yellow tinting at base of petals.

**MRS. ALICE BROWNSON HUTSON.** Daybreak pink; quilled in center; very fine.

**SYLVIA SLADE.** The showiest of all singles, the flower like a giant Cineraria, color, rosy-garnet, with broad white ring around the disc.



*Pompons. Potted in the fall make charming house plants*

## OUR POMPON COLLECTION OF THE Old-Fashioned Hardy

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Price, 15 Cents Each, Any Six for 75 Cents

Many of our "Mum" loving friends ask us for hardy varieties of Chrysanthemums that will live outdoors all winter. To those of our friends who want hardy "Mums," we heartily recommend this collection. They are quite hardy, and include a beautiful and wide range of colors.

**ACTO.** Bright rose. One of the best.

**DIANA.** A fine pure white.

**FAIRY QUEEN.** A very greatly improved Alena, has more substance, a brighter color, and is a few days earlier; the best and earliest pink pompon.

**FRANK WILCOX** (Synonym, Mrs. Frank Beu). Fine Thanksgiving bronzy red; a good variety to cut.

**GOLDEN CLIMAX.** A very pleasing shade of bright yellow; medium.

**GOLDEN WEST.** A small golden yellow flower of great substance.

**HELEN NEWBERRY.** Two inches in diameter, high, rounded flowers of purest white, maturing Thanksgiving to Christmas, when most Pompons are gone.

**HILDA CANNING.** A very attractive bronze, of the small flowered section. Very striking and desirable.

**ILLONA.** Rosy lavender, much the same color as Western Beauty, but produces larger sprays.

**IDA.** By far the best true yellow.

**KATIE MANNING.** Very early yellow, extra good; can be cut for three weeks; opens flat, gradually reflexing into a globe.

**KLONDIKE.** Most beautiful yellow in the family; extra fine.

**LITTLE BOB.** Small red flowers, very free and pretty.

**LEOTA** (Introduced by us in 1914). Delicate pink, maturing October 20th, and produces large, full sprays; one of the very best; medium size. Dwarf.

**LEILAH.** An early rose pink of exceptional merit, and unlike most varieties of this color, does not fade; in fact, becomes brighter as it matures. Strong, sturdy grower.

**LITTLE GEM.** True Pompon form, of the small flowered type; a pleasing shade of lavender pink.

**MINTA.** A very free flowering light pink, unsurpassed by any of this color. Owing to its upright growth is one of the best for specimen plants.

**PIGMY.** Exceptionally dwarf, attaining only 10 to 12 inches when potted. Color, light pink.

**SOEUR MELANIE.** Of good size, early mid-season; pure snow-white.

**SAVANNAH.** One of the very best yellows.

**VASCO.** This variety is very serviceable, grown either in sprays or disbudded. Its color is bright, glowing yellow.

**WHITE GEM.** A worthy companion for Little Gem, being of the same general character except in color, which is pure white. Strong, vigorous growth, maturing midseason.

**WESTERN BEAUTY.** Flower large; deep rose pink; stiff, upright growth.

JOS. W. VESTAL & SON, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sirs: I want to thank you for the beautiful Chrysanthemums you sent me last year. You sent me twelve Chrysanthemums in all and they did fine and are beautiful. Out of the twelve Roses I only lost one and I think my flowers beautiful for one year homestead. Thanks to Vestal's.

Mrs. E. O. K.



## CAPE JASMINE

*Gardenia  
jasminoides*

This splendid plant is a great favorite with all who know its true worth. The blooms are pure white and measure two and one-half inches across and are delightfully fragrant. The flowers are extremely fashionable; for this reason, together with its ease of culture, we feel sure of a lively demand. Price, one-year-old size, 30 cents each.

## GOLDEN SPOTTED ABUTILON

*ECLIPSE*. This is a novel and distinctive variety. The leaves are beautifully spotted with golden yellow on a green ground. The flowers are orange yellow, and are produced abundantly. An excellent plant for edging foliage beds. As a basket or vase plant it is unsurpassed. As a specimen in the window or conservatory it has few equals. Price, 20 cents each.

## CONFEDERATE JASMINE

This makes an elegant hard wooded climber, or can be trained to bush form. It bears large branches of pure white flowers, with the most delicious perfume. Price, 20 cents each.

## CESTRUM PARQUI

*Night Blooming  
Jasmine*

A beautiful tender shrub of easy cultivation, producing beautiful white flowers in clusters, and in the greatest profusion; overpoweringly sweet at night. Price, 15 cents each.

## CESTRUM DIURNUM

*Day Blooming  
Jasmine*

A handsome quick growing evergreen shrub, producing quantities of sweet scented white flowers, valuable for cut flower work. Price, 15 cents each.

## NEW COLEUS DEFIANCE

Poinsettia color with gold edge. This grand variety will supplant Winter Gem, to be grown as specimens for store trade. Price, 15 cents each.

## COLEUS

*WINTER GEM*. Has broad leaves that often measure eight inches across, beautifully marked with yellow and brightest crimson. Price, 20 cents each; larger, 50 cents.

*TRAILING QUEEN*. Elegant fringed leaves blending from pink to crimson, finely scalloped edges. The plant is half trailing or running and is well adapted for window boxes, baskets or vases. Price, 10 cents each; per dozen, \$1.00.

*YELLOW TRAINING QUEEN*. A center wedge of creamy white bordered green; the whole margined yellow. Price, 10 cents each; per dozen, \$1.00.

## NEW BEDDING COLEUS

Cape Jasmine



The Coleus, a plant very familiar to all, is one which, for bedding purposes, can not be excelled. The foliage is very beautiful in many of the good newer sorts, and shows a great variety of markings and fine combinations. It is used in great quantities in private places, in small gardens and in the public gardens and parks. The Coleus is used to best advantage in planting in ribbons of color in the borders along drives, in beds of various shapes, such as stars, crescents, triangles, circles and squares, as the foliage, being of such various colors, can be used with striking effect. Light colors against dark, with borders of contrasting color, which are easily obtained among the yellow, red, striped, mottled brown, blue-black, plum and other colored sorts, secure effects when used on a fine lawn or in the border, hard to make with other plants.



Vestal's Gorgeous Bedding Coleus. Price, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen; 100 plants for \$4.00.



## BEAUTIFUL DECORATIVE FERNS

These beautiful plants for home decoration vie with the Palms for first place in the esteem of flower lovers. They are finely cut and oddly shaped. Ferns give a graceful effect produced by few other plants and they do exceedingly well in the parlor and conservatory. The Nephrolepis family, of which the well-known Boston is a member, has furnished us many beautiful species of late years. We recommend all the varieties listed.



Boston Fern

**THE BOSTON FERN.** This popular Fern has proved one of the best decorative plants of recent introduction. The fronds are much larger than the Sword Fern, and do not stand so stiff, but droop gracefully. Excellent for making large specimen plants, also for hanging baskets. Price, nice young plants, 15, 25 and 50 cents each.

**COMPACT SWORD FERN.** Fitting companion for the Boston; dwarfier, more erect in growth, much darker shade of green, very gracefully arched. Very desirable as a house plant. Price, 15, 25 cents each; larger, 50 cents each.

**NEW FERN JOHN WANAMAKER.** Long, narrow gracefully drooping fronds. It is not so compact in growth as Scholzelii, and therefore does not decay in the center, and is a durable house fern. It is a rapid grower, making an abundance of fronds, and is quite distinct from any other Fern. Price, nice plants, 25 cents each; larger plants, 50 cents each.

**WHITMANII (Ostrich Plume Fern).** More of a dwarf habit than the Boston Fern. The fronds are of entirely different nature. Each frond is subdivided on the order of the Compacta Fern, thus producing a very beautiful effect. Its decorative ability is excellent. Prices, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

**TEDDY, JR.** New dwarf Fern. Fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from base to tip, drooping just enough to make a graceful plant. Produces nearly four times as many fronds as any other Fern introduced. Compact, vigorous grower and thrives under most any condition. Prices, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

**SMITHII FERN.** A greatly improved Ostrich Plume Fern, with extremely finely cut fronds, could be rightly described as Baby Breath Fern. It is of compact form, fronds on wiry stems that do not break down in center. This variety will have a wonderful sale. Prices, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

**VERONA FERN.** Makes a good plant in any size, much finer frond than any crested Fern except Smithii. We consider it one of the best of the newer varieties. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

**NORWOOD FERN.** A dwarf compact form of Whitmanii, carrying its fronds stiff and erect on wiry stems that do not break down. Makes ideal specimens. Called by some florists Fluffy Ruffles Fern. Very showy. Prices, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.

## ASPARAGUS FERNS

Their beautiful sprays of lovely, feathery foliage can be cut freely for bouquets, etc.

**ASPARAGUS SPRENGERII.** Emerald Feather. Very valuable for vases and baskets. A strong, vigorous plant, very easily grown and requires little care. Price, 15 cents and 25 cents each.

**ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS.** Climbing Lace Fern. An extremely graceful window climber. The fine, feathery foliage is always bright and green. Price, 15 cents and 25 cents each.



Asparagus Sprengeri

Jos. W. Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Ark.

Gentlemen: Your beautiful plants came today in splendid condition, as they always have when ordered from you. Plants ordered from you have always lived and flourished to perfection.

Yours very truly,

March 1, 1920.

Mrs. W. A. A., Marshall, Texas.

### PARLOR FOLIAGE COLLECTION

4 Strong Plants for only 75c, postpaid

In this collection we give you a strong plant of the best of all Ferns, "Whitmanii," also a plant of the new Fern, "Wannamaker," together with a Boston Fern and a plant of the Lace Fern, for 75 cents.

FOUR ELEGANT  
WINDOW  
PLANTS  
FOR 75 CENTS



Plumosus



## THE CARDINAL CLIMBER

We consider it the most beautiful, brilliant and distinct annual climber introduced in many years. It is a strong and rapid grower, attaining a height of 30 feet or more, with beautiful deeply lacinated foliage and literally covered with a blaze of circular fiery cardinal-red flowers from mid-July till frost. The flowers are about 1½ inches in diameter, and are borne in clusters of 5 to 7 blooms each. We feel sure that it will become one of the good annual climbers of the future. Like other Ipomoeas it delights in a warm, sunny situation and good soil. *Price, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cents.*

## MANETTIA BICOLOR

The most beautiful and desirable of all vines. Can be grown in house or garden. In the house it can be trained about a window, forming a wreath of the most brilliant bloom both summer and winter. Flowers of a most intense scarlet, shading into flame, tipped with bright golden-yellow. *Price, 15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents.*

## POPULAR OLEANDERS

*Price, 25 cents each.*

These old-fashioned shrubs are becoming immensely popular again. No plant makes more handsome specimens in tubs for the veranda or yard. Can be wintered in the cellar.

**OLEANDER ROSEA.** Double pink flowers; the old favorite; very sweet.

**OLEANDER LILIAN HENDERSON.** Double white flowers; fragrant.

## IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS

Nothing more desirable for baskets, vases or for any trailing or climbing plant utility. *Price, 20 cents each.*

**ALLIANCE.** A happy alliance of the soft, waxy finish of the Ivy class with the constitutional virility of the Zonales. The flowers are gracefully semi-double, very freely borne in trusses of conspicuous size. Delicate lilac-white, upper petals feathered and blotched crimson-rose.

**CAESAR FRANCK.** Enormous trusses of semi-double flowers, shaped and clustered much like "Crimson Rambler" Rose; vividly crimson, with a slight dash of rose at the base of petals.

**INCOMPARABLE.** Very large trusses and florets; a charming shade of carmine-rose.

**JEANNE D'ARC.** Flowers very large; the purest white.

**RYCROFT SURPRISE.** Bold, vigorous, upright habit; large trusses of a lovely shade of soft pink; free and effective.

## THE STRAWBERRY GERANIUM

*A Lovely Plant for Baskets and Vases.*

One of the handsomest plants imaginable, a gem of many colors, exceedingly rare and beautiful. Leaves nearly round, and striped freely with silver bands—blooms white, of great beauty and borne in spikes nearly twelve inches high; of easiest growth. Adapted for hanging baskets, vases, etc. Will stand neglect and mistreatment and grow very rapidly either in sunny place or shade. *Price, 10 cents each; 3 for 25 cents.*

*Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Ark.*

Gentlemen: I have received the plants sent me by express. They were in good condition and are all nice thrifty looking plants. Thanking you for extra plants, I am,

Respectfully,  
Mrs. H. P., Bald Knob, Ark.  
May 19th, 1920.



Strawberry Geranium

## APPLE-SCENTED GERANIUMS

There are few, indeed, who are not acquainted with this grand old favorite. A plant of it will fill a room with its delicious odor, which is precisely like the fragrance of apple blossoms. *Price, 20 cents each.*

## SWEET-SCENTED GERANIUMS

*15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents.*

**LARGE LEAF ROSE.** Indispensable in the formation of bouquets.

**MRS. TAYLOR.** Fragrant foliage. Flowers scarlet magenta.

**NUTMEG.** Highly scented. A valuable variety.

**DR. LIVINGSTON.** A skeleton leaved, rose scented, with finely cut foliage.

**LEMON.** Lemon scented. A grand variety.

**BALM SCENTED.**

**TRANSIT.** An elegant new variety of Rose Geranium, with gracefully cut foliage.



Ivy Leaf Geranium Jeanne D'Arc



*Pelargonium  
Easter  
Greeting*



## NEW EVERBLOOMING PELARGONIUM EASTER GREETING

The flowers of Easter Greeting have the large size and the gorgeously rich coloring of the "Lady Washington Geranium." To this is added, in Easter Greeting, the habit of continuous blooming, which has made the ordinary bedding Geranium so highly valued. Easter Greeting is the first of a new race and one of the most valuable introductions in recent years. As an Easter plant it rivals the Azalea; but unlike the Azalea, Easter Greeting will remain in full bloom all summer. *Each, 20 cents; larger, 35 cents.*

## FEVERFEW, LITTLE GEM

This variety surpasses the old variety in every respect. It is very dwarf, growing only from eight to twelve inches high. The flowers are larger and of more perfect form, and of the purest white and of free flowering habit, the plant being perfectly loaded with bloom. *Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.*

## ENGLISH DAISIES

We can not praise too highly these pretty little spring blooming plants; charming little plants for edging and borders, among our earliest hardy spring flowering perennials. *Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.*

**SNOWBALL.** A large and very double pure white Daisy.  
**LONGFELLOW.** Best red variety; very double.

## GYNURA AURANTIACA

*Velvet Plant*

Velvet Plant seems an appropriate name, the leaves being always taken as artificial. They and the stems are entirely covered with purple hairs; shining, glistening, reflecting many new colors. Any change of position appears to alter the color of the foliage. *Price, 15 cents each.*

### IN STRESSFUL DAYS

Roses carry many a message too subtle for lips to tell. Learn their language.



*Plumbago*

## NEW MARGUERITE

**MRS. F. SANDER.** Unlike all other Marguerites, its color is of the purest glistening white throughout; in size it frequently measures five inches across; the center of the flower is a mass of closely arranged fringed florets; these are surrounded or edged by the broad, shining white ray-petals, forming a flower which reminds one forcibly of a glorified double Pyrethrum. These are produced on long stems with a freedom not known in other varieties of the Marguerite. *Price, young plants, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.*



*Carnation Victory*

*Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Ark.*

*Sirs: The flowers and shrubs came yesterday. Thank you very much for filling the order in such a satisfactory way. Please send your catalogue to the following addresses. I am.*

*Mrs. W. C., Shelby, Miss.  
April 27, 1920.*

## PLUMBAGOS

The Plumbagos are always satisfactory plants, either for pot culture or for the garden. They are constant bloomers, and their delicate and graceful flowers are very useful for cutting.

**CAPENSIS.** A well known favorite. Sky blue flowers. *Price, 20 cents each.*

## EVERBLOOMING CARNATIONS

**CHRISTMAS CHEER.** New. Color is a brilliant, glowing Poinsettia scarlet. Easier to grow than a Geranium, and will produce fifty or more blooms in a season. *Price, 25 cents each.*

**VICTORY.** Magnificent scarlet; very bright. *Price, 20 cents each.*

**ENCHANTRESS.** Beautiful rose-pink; large. *Price, 20 cents each.*

**CLIMAX.** Rich salmon, prettily fringed; clove scented. *Price, 20 cents each.*

**WHITE ENCHANTRESS.** Snow-white; very rich fragrance. *Price, 20 cents each.*



# Vestal's Choicest Geraniums

## Variegated-Leaved Geraniums

Chiefly remarkable for their bright, variegated foliage; very pretty and attractive particularly for pots and window culture. 20 cents each; 3 for 0 cents.

**HAPPY THOUGHT.** A tri-color Geranium with very dark green foliage, having a light creamy—almost white—center, with a dark band about the light zone. Flowers bright scarlet.

**MAD. SALLEROI.** A very compact variety of Silver Geranium. A thrifty, healthy grower, rarely reaching a height of more than six inches; leaves very small, of a peculiar clear green, edged with pure white.

**VARIEGATED S. A. NUTT.** A new introduction, with liberal, healthy, remarkably beautiful variegated foliage; the green and creamy white, being about evenly apportioned, of the same general form, freedom, character and color as the famous S. A. Nutt.

Jos. W. Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Ark.

Dear Sirs: I wish to tell you how much I like your plants. I could never grow plants with any success until I ordered from Vestal. My Geraniums were Things of Beauty, therefore a joy forever.  
Always Vestal's friend,  
K. McL., Caddo Gap, Ark.  
March 28th, 1919.



Variegated Leaf Geranium Mad. Salleroi

## BEST DOUBLE VARIETIES

Price, 15 cents each, or \$1.50 per dozen.

**ALPHONSE RICARD.** Both floret and truss are enormous size. Color a brilliant shade of orange-red.

**BEAUTY POITEVINE.** Beautiful rosy-salmon, nicely shaded, and tinted deep orange to pure salmon.

**BUCKNER.** Flowers white; not a trace of coloring at center; the finest white.

**BERTHA DE PRESSILLY.** Beautiful silver-rose of exquisite brightness; the blooms are extra large, very double.

**DUKE DE MONTMORT.** Color, brilliant purple, nearest we have to the blue Geranium.

**E. H. TREGO.** This is another splendid scarlet bedding variety that gives satisfaction. It stands heat and dry weather, producing immense quantities of bright scarlet double flowers all through the season.

**JEAN VIAUD.** Color bright rosy pink with distinct white blotch in the center.

**MARQUIS DE CASTELAINE.** Deep rosy-scarlet, shading into pure scarlet.

**RED WING.** Its name indicates the color of its freely borne flowers, a deep cardinal red with a soft velvety sheen.

**S. A. NUTT.** The best dark, rich crimson bedding Geranium; blooms incessantly. This is the darkest and richest Geranium grown. A perfect pot plant, one that must find its way into every collection. Stands the sun perfectly and is always a mass of bloom.

## BEST SINGLE GERANIUMS

Price, 15 cents each; or \$1.50 per dozen.

**GRANVILLE.** Color the most beautiful shade of dark rose pink; white blotches on base of upper petals.

**L'AUBE.** Pure snow-white; splendid habit and growth of plant. Best single white to date.

**MRS. E. G. HILL.** Distinct and pleasing shade of salmon with light shading to center. Finest salmon flowered to date.

**JACQUERIE.** Beautiful deep cardinal-red. Immense trusses, vigorous grower.

**TIFFIN.** One of the finest blooming single varieties; flowers of an effective shade of rich, glowing scarlet, crimson shading on upper petals.



Marquis De Castelaïne

## GERANIUM AMERICAN BEAUTY

This variety was named American Beauty by the introducer because the color is almost identically the color of the popular Rose of that name. The beautiful semi-double flowers are deep rosy-carmine, shaded with carmine-crimson. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.



## New Rare Large Flowering Hibiscus

(Chinese)

Large growing tropical shrubs, with large glossy, dark green foliage, blooming freely in our hottest sun, producing their enormous bright colored flowers in great numbers during the entire summer. Succeeds admirably out during the summer, producing a very tropical effect, the blooms averaging five or six inches in diameter and are gorgeously colored. The plants can be wintered over in a warm cellar or pit, and again bedded out in the summer. We have reduced the price, bringing them within reach of all. Price, first size, 15 cents each; second size, 30 cents; large size, 50 cents.

**BRILLIANTISSIMA.** The largest flowered of all the single varieties. Color a brilliant scarlet, flushed with orange, the base of petal stained deep crimson; an extra fine variety.

**COLLERII.** Double; yellow, with maroon center; very fine; free flowering; best of this color.

**GRANDIFLORA.** Rich, glossy foliage, blooming profusely throughout the summer, literally covering the plant with scarlet crimson flowers.

**LAMBERTII.** Flowers large, deep crimson color; very fine.

**PEACHBLOW.** The flowers are double and from four to five inches in diameter; of a charming rich, clear pink color.

**SUB VIOLOCEA.** Flowers enormous, semi-double; clear carmine, tinted with violet. Probably the largest flower in the Hibiscus Chinensis family. An unusually free bloomer.



Hibiscus Sub Violecea

## OUR SUPERB PANSIES

Pansy plants planted in the spring as soon as the frost is out of the ground will begin to bloom at once, and afford daily pleasure for a month before Coleus or Geraniums could be even planted. If snow should fall after planting they would not be hurt. In fact, to get the best results from Pansies, they should be planted just as early as they can be. To get the best results and extra large flowers, the soil must be extremely rich—we use equal parts well rotted manure and soil. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.



## DUSTY MILLER

Almost too well known for a description. This is the old Dusty Miller used for edging beds of Coleus, Geraniums, Cannas, etc. Leaves silvery white. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.



Impatiens

## IMPATIENS

(Sultan's or Zanzibar Balsam)

Charming plants for the decoration of the conservatory or window. Price, 15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents.

## NEW AND BEAUTIFUL FUCHSIAS

Easily Grown; Sure to Bloom.

For ease of culture, varied colors, profusion of bloom and adaptability to all localities we strongly recommend Fuchsias, the best varieties of which are offered in the following list. They are suitable alike for winter blooming or for growing outdoors, either in beds or in pots, boxes or vases, as the case may be. A collection of flowering plants is not complete without Fuchsias, and the extremely low price at which splendid sorts are offered permits of a choice collection of different varieties. Price, 15 cents each; 4 distinct kinds for 50 cents.



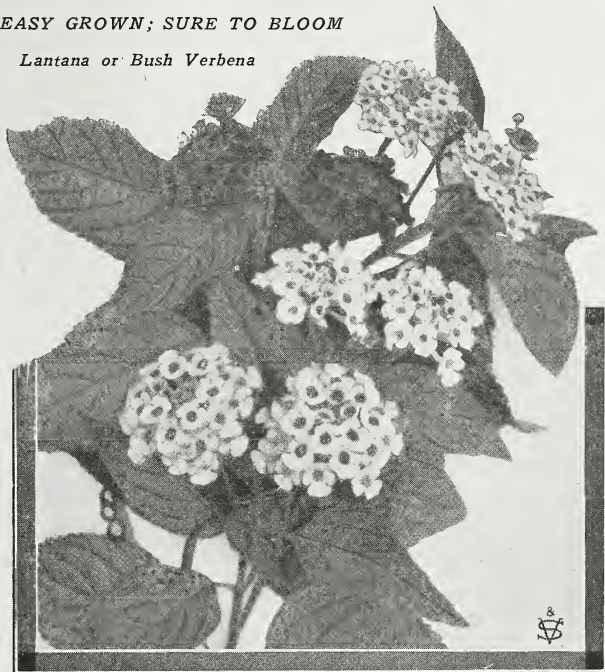
Fuchsia



# SPLENDID FREE-BLOOMING LATANAS

EASY GROWN; SURE TO BLOOM

Lantana or Bush Verbena



Four Grand New Varieties.

## HELIOTROPES

Heliotropes are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance and flowering equally as well as bedding plants in the summer, or as pot plants in the house during the winter. A bed filled with them produces a mass of color that can hardly be equaled by any other kind of plants. Indeed, there is nothing that will give so many sweet-scented flowers all through the summer as Heliotropes. They can be potted up in the fall and will flower more or less all winter.

**ALBATROSS.** Large panicles of pure white flowers in great profusion all season; the best white variety to date.

**HEAVENLY BLUE.** Large, close panicles of exquisite light blue flowers, with white eye.

**LAVENDER QUEEN.** Very large trusses of a beautiful shade of lavender, suffused with rosy mauve.

**ROYAL PURPLE.** Color deep violet purple, with white eye. Price, 15 cents each; 4 sorts for 50 cents.

## Weeping Lantana

A New Weeping Plant of Great Beauty.

One of the grandest plants grown. The plant has a most graceful, drooping habit, grows very rapidly and blooms continually summer and winter, producing large clusters of flowers of the most delicate lilac or rosy-pink. Foliage a beautiful dark green. We know of nothing of recent introduction that is so easily grown and gives so much pleasure and satisfaction as this beautiful Lantana. Strong plants, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen postpaid.

## THE VERY BEST AND NEWEST VARIETIES

Try a few Lantanas this year for bedding. They stand sun and drought remarkably well, and are never out of bloom. Grown in pots or tubs, they make splendid specimen plants for porch or lawn, and can be kept in a light cellar during the winter. Price, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cents.

**A. COOK.** Dwarf; opens orange and yellow; changes to bright rose; a free bloomer; foliage and florets small; very pretty.

**ALBA PERFECTA.** Pure white. A gem among white bedders.

**FRANCINE.** Quite dwarf; flowers large; rosy lilac.

**JAVOTTE.** Center bright yellow; light border; very free bloomer; a good variety.

**JACQUES MINOT.** Plant vigorous but compact in growth; flower at first opening is deep orange red, changing to deep vivid crimson; very fine, and brightest Lantana we have.

**RADIATION.** Opens orange yellow, changing to brilliant red florets; very large; a good bloomer, showing both colors until in full bloom.

**SUNSET.** Bright golden yellow of immense size, changing to orange and yellow, with brilliant red center.

**PINK BEAUTY.** Covered with flowers of silvery rose with center of soft yellow; a beautiful contrast.

**THAIS.** Blush, shading to cream.

**ULTIMA.** Magnificent pure golden yellow.

**VIOLET KING.** The buds and unbelts extra large, of light yellow and pink; opens yellow and golden center, and as they open changing to pink and orange. When about one-half in full bloom the first florets change to a beautiful violet maroon shade and show all of those colors until in full bloom.

## CLIMBING LANTANA

Evergreen and Ever-blooming.

It is at all times graceful, pretty and evergreen, blooming profusely at all stages of growth. The large clusters are of a dainty lilac-pink color with a white center. As its growth is easily controlled by pruning it can be made to fit any space where a large or small vine is desired. It is one of the most charming pot vines for windows and is a splendid garden vine for summer and never out of bloom. Fine plants, 15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents postpaid.



Climbing Lantana.

## Where Grass Won't Grow

These vines will cover the ground.

**HARDY MOSS PINKS** (Creeping Phlox). Pink and white flowers. 15c;

\$1.50 per dozen.

**EVERGREEN HONEYSUCKLE.** White flowers; recommended for embankments. Price, 35 cents; \$3.50 per dozen.

**MONEYWORT.** Evergreen; will grow in dense shade. Price, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.

**VARIATED GROUND IVY.** Beautiful foliage; fine for covering graves. Price, 15 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.

**TRAILING HOUSELEEK.** Yellow flowers; for edging and carpeting bare spots, especially in cemeteries. Price, 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.

**TRAILING MYRTLE.** An excellent dwarf evergreen trailing plant that is used extensively for carpeting the ground under shrubs and trees, or on graves where it is too shady for other plants to thrive. It blooms early in the spring, making a mass of star-shaped violet-blue flowers, which continue at intervals throughout the summer. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.



## Umbrella Plant

(*Cyperus Alternifolius*)

Can easily be grown in a bowl or dish half-filled with rich soil, then filled with water. Price, 15 cts. and 20 cts. each.



Salvia or Scarlet Sage

## SALVIA---SCARLET SAGE

*Makes a Matchless Border.*

A bed or border of Scarlet Sage always compels attention. It has long been a leading favorite. We know of nothing that can equal the gorgeous effect of a bed of Scarlet Sage when in full bloom. The large waving masses of scarlet bloom against green surroundings of lawn or foliage is matchless. Salvias can be grown in almost any position with fine effect; in the flower bed; along the walk or borders. They also add to the attractiveness of a shrubbery if planted in clumps in the vacant spaces, the varied shades of green and the dazzling scarlet have a most pleasing effect. We offer only the large flowered variety which produces flowers twice the size and twice as numerous as the old variety. They make fine pot plants for the conservatory or greenhouse. Price, 10 cents each; 3 for 25 cents; \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

Our aim is to  
please every  
Customer



Madagascar Periwinkle or Vinca

MAIL US  
YOUR  
ORDER  
WITHOUT  
DELAY

Our reputation is  
behind every  
order



Blue or Celestial Daisy

## Madagascar Periwinkle or Vinca

This is a most attractive plant, blooming the entire summer season, forming a handsome shrub two feet in height and diameter. Color, rose, white, and white with crimson center. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## AGATHEA COELESTIS

*Or Celestial Daisy.*

The flowers are a delicate sky blue with a yellow disc. It is certainly a charming plant. Dwarf growing, not over 12 to 18 inches in height, and the bushes fairly swarming with its lovely blue blossoms. The cut flower stores in the cities show them by hundreds of thousands. Blooms from November to June. Very desirable. Price, 15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents.





Double Fringed Petunias

## POINSETTIA PULCHERRIMA

This is the plant which produces the large clusters of red leaves or flowers which are seen in all the flower stores at Christmas. We offer fine plants. Price, 25 cents each.

## PILEA ARBOREA (Artillery Plant)

A pretty little plant of drooping, graceful habit and fern-like foliage, literally covered with small, pretty flowers, giving the plant a pleasing effect; fine for basket or pot plants. Price, 10 cents each.

## CUPHEA PLATYCENTRA

(Cigar Plant). Scarlet pendulous flowers; neat compact habit; constant bloomer. Price, 10 cents each.

## GIANT MOONFLOWER

(Ipomea Maxima, Wonderfully Fragrant)

A decided improvement over the old variety Ipomea Grandiflora. The flowers are more than twice the size of the old variety and are produced in such wonderful profusion that they completely cover the vine with a veil of glistening white. Price, large growing plants, 15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents; 6 for 60 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.

## Our Unrivalled Mammoth Verbenas

Next to the Geranium the Verbena is the most popular and useful of bedding plants. The collection we offer is as fine a collection as could be found on this continent, containing the most brilliant colors and some right fragrant varieties. In order to keep the plants in the best blooming condition, cut all faded flowers off, and even a severe trimming or clipping tends only to strengthen the plants and keep them in better shape for late flowering. With proper care your Verbenas may be kept in blossom long after other flowers have gone. The demand we had the past season for this popular flower was enormous. Price, 10 cents each; 12 for 75 cents.

# Giant Double Petunias

Are as large as Hollyhocks; as double as double can be, with edges finely fringed; petals fluted and crinkled, intensifying and varying the colors with high lights and dark shadows, bringing out a richness and effect unmatched by crumpled velvet, which the flowers resemble. There is a variety of colors—selfs, blotched, veined, margined, etc., in short these double Petunias are unsurpassed by any other strain in the world. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

## Large Flowering SINGLE FRINGED PETUNIAS

The Single Petunia is one of the finest bedding plants for massing, mixed borders, or for vases. The brilliancy and variety of its colors, combined with the duration of its blooming period, renders it invaluable for garden decoration. Our collection is unsurpassed for brilliancy of color and size of bloom. It includes all the brightest shades of pink, purple, rose, white, etc. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## SINGLE SWEET VIOLET

PRINCE OF WALES. This variety is far ahead of any other single Violet known. The grand single flowers of a true violet-blue color that does not fade, and of the richest, most delicious fragrance. Price, 10 cents each.

## SANTOLINA TOMENTOSA

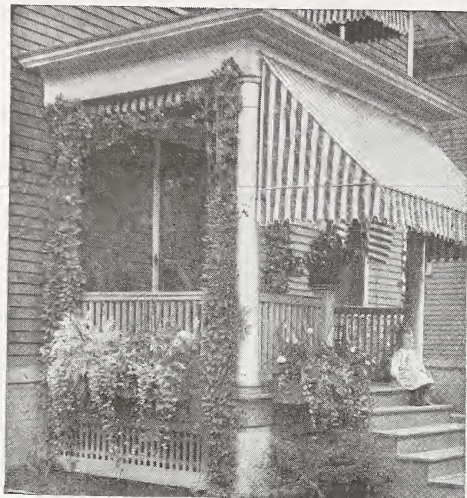
Effective white border plant, forming dense, compact bunches, not over six inches high, and from six to ten inches in diameter. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## STEVIA

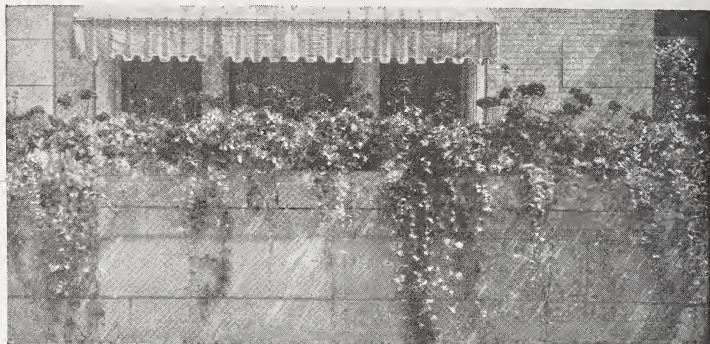
SERRATA. A pretty flowering plant, producing sprays of small white florets of delightful fragrance. Price, 15 cents each.







*Porch boxes are wonderfully decorative—cost but little*



*Here we have Geraniums growing and blooming beautifully with Vinca Variegata to droop over the edge*

## PLANTS FOR WINDOW AND PORCH BOXES

### THE SHADY SIDE PORCH BOX COLLECTION, \$2.50

A selection of plants suitable for shady locations.

- 2 Asparagus. Plumosa and Sprengeri.
- 3 Variegated Ground Ivy.
- 6 Ferns. Boston and Ostrich Plume.
- 2 Parlor Ivy. Yellow flowers.
- 2 Acalphos. Beautiful foliage.
- 2 Pilea, or Artillery Plant.
- 4 Coleus. Upright and trailing.
- 1 Begonia. Brilliant flowers, handsome foliage.
- 1 Russellia. Fountain Plant.
- 2 Cuphea. Cigar Plant.

**NOTE**—This collection contains enough plants for a six foot box.

**SPECIAL**—One-half of above collection, same assortment but one-half the number of each kind. \$1.25.

### THE SUNNY SIDE PORCH BOX COLLECTION, \$2.50

A selection of plants suitable for sunny locations.

- 4 Geraniums. Bright colors.
- 4 Petunias. All different.
- 2 Lantanas. Upright and trailing.
- 2 Coleus. Upright and weeping.
- 3 Vinca. Variegated.
- 2 Salvia. Scarlet.
- 2 Marguerites. Single white.
- 2 Verbenas. Red and pink.
- 2 Nasturtiums.
- 2 Wandering Jew.

**NOTE**—This collection contains enough plants for a six foot box.

**SPECIAL**—One-half of above collection, same assortment but one-half the number of each kind, enough for a box three feet long, for \$1.25.

## MISCELLANEOUS PLANTS FOR WINDOW AND PORCH BOXES

**GERANIUMS.** Double and Single and Ivy Leaved. For adding color to a porch box or hanging basket, nothing is so effective as bright red Geraniums. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**FERNS.** For shady porches. Ferns are an absolute necessity, they grow and thrive where blooming plants would be a failure. We recommend Boston, Scottii, Whitmanii and Cordata. Price, 25 cents each.

**VERBENAS.** For sunny situations Verbenas will be found well adapted for boxes and vases. Price, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.

**SINGLE PETUNIAS.** For a cheerful and charming array of color, the small flowered single Petunias can not be surpassed. You can have the seed at 10 cents per packet, or the plants well along to their blooming size at 10 cents each or \$1.00 per dozen.

### PARROT'S FEATHER



**MONEYWORT.** A beautiful trailing vine with small green leaves, suitable for hanging baskets, vases or covering graves. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

**SAXIFRAGA SARMENTOSA (Strawberry Geranium).** A plant of low habit. Leaves nearly round, and striped freely with silvery bands. Blooms white, of a great beauty, and borne in spikes nearly twelve inches high. Adapted for hanging baskets, vases, etc. This is also known as Strawberry Geranium. Price, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

**WANDERING JEW (Tradescantia Multicolor).** Most beautifully variegated purple, scarlet and white. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

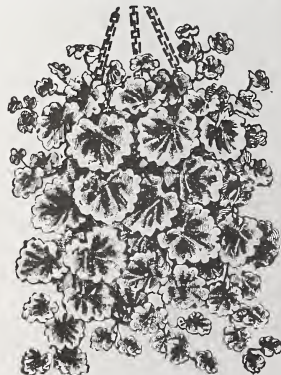
**THUNBERGIA (Black-eyed Susan).** Beautiful, rapid-growing climbers, thriving in a light rich soil, in warm situations. Flowers white, cream, yellow and orange, with a heavily marked deep black eye. Price, 5 cents.

**ARTILLERY PLANT.** A pretty little plant of drooping, graceful habit and fern-like foliage, literally covered with very small, pretty flowers, giving the plant a pleasing effect; fine basket or pot plant. Price, 10 cents each.

**CULPHEA PLATYCENTRA (Cigar Plant).** Scarlet, pendulous flowers, neat compact habit; constant bloomer. Price, 10 cents each.

**ALYSSUM (Double Sweet).** Splendid for edging beds. Also fine for winter blooming in the house. Elegant for baskets, vases or window boxes. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

**WEeping LANTANA.** This plant has a most graceful drooping habit, grows rapidly and blooms continually summer and winter, producing large clusters of flowers of the most delicate lilac or rosy pink, foliage a beautiful dark green. Price, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cents.



*Variegated Ground Ivy*

*Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Arkansas.*

*Sirs: I received the plants today and they were all fine and in fine condition. Am sure proud of them. Hope to send you another order in the near future. With many thanks, I remain,*  
May 4th, 1920. *Mrs. N. J., Greenwood, Ark.*





Here porch boxes and potted plants have accomplished wonders

## VINES FOR WINDOW AND PORCH BOXES

### ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI

(Trailing Basket Fern)

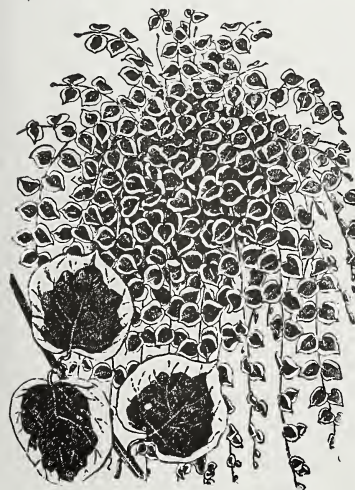
Not only is useful for cutting in sprays, but grown in suspended roots it makes one of the prettiest house plants we have. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

### GLECHOMA

(Variegated Ground Ivy). The foliage is a bright green, marked with pure white and has a refreshing fragrance similar to mint. Graceful and beautiful for hanging baskets. A general favorite with all of our customers, as there is a continued steady demand for it. Entirely hardy when planted out, and makes an ornamental, dense mat on the ground. Each, 15 cents; dozen, \$1.50.

### PARROT'S FEATHER

An aquatic hanging plant is a novelty indeed, and we have it to perfection in this dainty little jewel. Its long, trailing stems are clothed with whorls of the most exquisite foliage as finely cut as the cypress vine and much more delicate. Planted in a watertight hanging basket, so water may be kept standing on the surface. It will trail finely. Price, 15 cents each.



Vinca Major Variegata

white; extra nice for pots, vases, baskets, window boxes and rockeries; good everywhere; always wanted. Price, 15 cents each; six for 80 cents; twelve for \$1.50.

**HARRISONI.** A variety of strong growth; margin of leaves rich, dark green, central portion light green, furnishing an abundance of star shaped, light blue flowers. Price, plants suitable for hanging baskets, 15 cents each.

### IVIES

**KENILWORTH.** An old favorite trailing Ivy. Perhaps the best for shaded places or rooms where light is not strong. Each, 10 cents; dozen, \$1.00.

**GERMAN or PARLOR IVY.** Well known Ivy which is very popular as a plant for hanging baskets and vases. Can be grown with very little trouble. Each, 10 cents; dozen, \$1.00.

### ENGLISH IVY FOR WINDOW BOXES

The English Ivy is used extensively for window boxes and vases during the summer, its value for outdoor window boxes in winter is recognized widely as the display at the large hotels, and fine private residences shows. It is also a good climbing plant for the house. (See engravings). Price, plants from 4-inch pots, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.



This shows how flowers will do "down town" where they do not get much sun

### ANTHERICUM

**COMOSUM.** A pretty variegated plant well adapted for use in hanging baskets, or as an edging for porch or window boxes, with graceful, 4 to 6-inch long, deep green foliage with a band of creamy yellow through the center. Price, 20 cents each.

### COLEUS

**TRAILING QUEEN.** Elegant fringed leaves blending from pink to crimson, finely scalloped edges. The plant is half trailing or running and is well adapted for window boxes, baskets or vases. Price, 10 cents each; per dozen, \$1.00.

**YELLOW TRAILING QUEEN.** A center wedge of creamy white bordered green; the whole margined yellow. Price, 10 cents each; per dozen, \$1.00.

### VINCA

**VARIEGATED LEAVES.** An elegant low growing, climbing vine; bright, glossy green leaves, widely bordered with creamy



English Ivy



# BEST SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS

## VESTAL'S SUMMER FLOWERING GLADIOLI



*Butterfly Gladioli*

Among the most popular summer-flowering bulbs, and of high decorative value, either in the garden or as a cut-flower. All bulbs sent out by us are first class, sure to bloom. They should be planted in a sunny position.

**NEW GLADIOLUS AMERICA.** The most beautiful variety in cultivation. Soft flesh-pink, slightly tinged with lavender. *First size bulbs, 15 cents each; 12 for \$1.50.*

**BUTTERFLY GLADIOLUS.** Known as Orchid-flowering Gladiolas. Crimson, white, brown, pink, etc. *6 for 75 cents; 12 for \$1.25.*

### Our New American Seedling Gladiolus

The most celebrated strain of Gladiolus in existence. Each bulb will bloom in ten weeks to three months after planting. All colors. *6 for 60 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.*

## CALADIUM ARBOREUM

This noble plant while young resembles the well known Caladium Esculentum, but grows to gigantic dimensions as it attains age, and while the latter dies down annually at the bulb, this grows into a stem or trunk, which retains the foliage through the winter if kept in the conservatory or sitting room. Plants, under good culture, frequently attain eight to twelve feet in height. *Price, from four and five-inch pots, 50 cents and \$1.00 each.*

## CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

(*Elephant's Ear*)

One of the most effective plants in cultivation for the flower border, or for planting out upon the lawn. It will grow in any good garden soil, and is of the easiest culture; but to obtain the best results it should be planted in rich compost and plentifully supplied with water. *Price, large strong bulbs, 20 cents each; six for \$1.00.*

## CINNAMON VINE

Well known hardy climber; quick grower, with beautiful glossy heart-shaped leaves and sweet-scented flowers. Vines will run 25 to 40 feet in one season. *Good roots, each, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.*

## MADERIA VINE (*Mignonette Vine*)

The glossy, waxy leaves of this dainty vine from the Andes makes it, perhaps, the most liked of all climbers. The leaves are light green above and rosy chocolate underneath; flowers white and deliciously fragrant. *Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.*

## FAIRY LILIES

(*Zephyranthes*). Beautiful dwarf, bulbous plants, very effective for masses or borders, flowering with great profusion during summer.

**ROSEA.** Large, rose-colored flowers. *10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.*

## TUBEROSES

Plant liberally of this beautiful summer flower. We offer only the finest bulbs.

**DWARF EXCELSIOR PEARL.** Flowers pure white, very double, of immense size and sweetly scented. *10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.*

**MEXICAN EVERBLOOMING.** Bears snow-white flowers. *10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.*

## ALOCASIA ILLUSTRIS

An excellent plant to grow in connection with fancy-leaved Caladiums or for planting in the open border in a partly shaded position. The foliage is large, of a dark green, clouded with a velvety blue black. Planted in light, well enriched soil, with a good supply of water, it makes plants two feet high, which form a striking object in sub-tropical gardening. *Price, 25 cents each; 5 for \$1.00.*



*Caladium Esculentum*



*Dwarf Pearl Tuberose*



## GRAND GIANT DAHLIAS

The sorts here offered are, without exception, the largest and most perfect double-flowering Dahlias now grown, flowers of all of them attaining a size of between five and six inches across under ordinary cultivation. Price, 20 cents each; any six for \$1.00.

**ARABELLA.** Light sulphur-yellow, shaded peach-blossom on edges; a fine flower.

**BERCH VON HEEMSTEDE.** Primrose-yellow with rich golden sheen; flowers of medium size; very free.

**CUBAN GIANT.** Flowers six to seven inches in diameter, dark, glowing crimson shaded maroon. A tall, strong grower with projecting flower stems.

**COUNTESS OF LONSDALE.** A delightful blending of salmon-pink and amber, difficult to describe but peculiarly attractive. For quantity of bloom it is in a class by itself.

**DELICE.** The most popular pink variety. Its beautiful soft, yet lively color, a glowing rose-pink, together with its perfect shape, stout, stiff stems, and the fact that when cut it retains its freshness for a long time, makes this one of the most valuable for cutting or decorative sorts in the garden.

**ELSIE BURGESS.** White ground tipped lavender, grand Dahlia for cut flowers.

**JOHN WANAMAKER.** Very free-flowering with broad, peculiarly curled and twisted petals of a pleasing shade of violet-mauve.

**JACK ROSE.** Brilliant crimson-red, similar in shade to the popular "Jack" Rose, which suggested its name; perfect for garden decoration or for cutting.

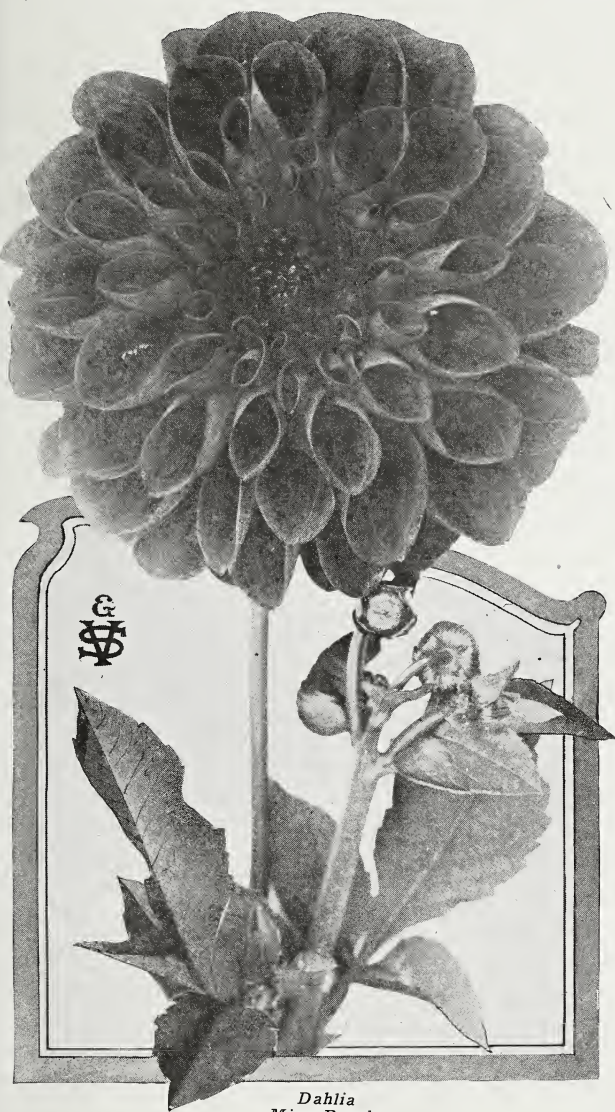
**MRS. CHARLES L. SEYBOLD.** Ground color of crimson-carmine, each petal tipped and more or less marked with white; fine for cutting and for garden decoration.

**MINA BURGLE.** Rich, luminous dark scarlet flowers of full, large form, strongly upheld. Unusually free and continuous bloom. This is a comparatively new variety, claimed by some cataloguers to be their best red Dahlia.

**PRINCESS JULIANA.** An ideal pure white for all purposes. A splendid cut flower and a good decorator for the garden. It is one of the earliest to flower, and continues in good shape throughout the season. It holds its flowers well above the foliage on stiff, wiry stems.

**RED HUSSAR.** Tall, bushy, upright; with wrinkled highly ornamental foliage. Flowers full, recurved to ball shape, fiery cardinal.

**YELLOW DUKE.** A free flowering, long stemmed form of Grand Duke; its full quilled blooms of primrose-yellow being exceedingly soft and pretty.



Dahlia  
Mina Burgle

### New Yellow Calla, Mrs. Roosevelt

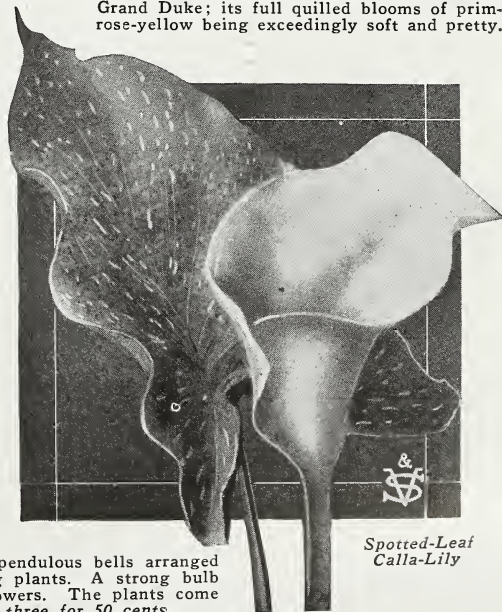
This is the finest Yellow Calla yet produced. Flowers large and clear bright yellow; foliage deep green, finely spotted pure white; fine for house culture. Price, strong blooming size bulbs, 35 cents each; three for \$1.00.

### THE WHITE CALLA OR LILY OF THE NILE

This is one of the most highly valued house plants for winter and spring bloom. It should be dried off and kept dormant from the middle of June until September, then potted in good rich soil in four or five-inch pots and given plenty of heat and moisture. Price, 30 cents each; two for 50 cents.

### HYACINTHUS CANDICANS

This is unlike our spring-blooming Hyacinths. Its leaves are deep green, fleshy, resembling some of the Yuccas. The flowers are white, in handsome, pendulous bells arranged on pyramidal spikes, often reaching the height of five feet or more in strong plants. A strong bulb will give from two to three flower spikes and these produce from 30 to 50 flowers. The plants come into bloom in July and bloom constantly until October. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.



Spotted-Leaf  
Calla-Lily



# NEW FRENCH HYDRANGEAS



Grand, low-growing, bushy shrubs, hardy only in very sheltered locations. Unequaled for porch and lawn decorations during summer. The blooms are immense, and come in such quantities as almost to cover the bush. On the approach of freezing weather, store in a light, cool cellar and water only sufficiently to keep the roots from drying up. If they start growth during the winter, move to cooler quarters.

**SPECIAL NOTE**—Blue is a color that is not fixed in Hydrangeas. It is controlled sometimes by climatic, and other times by soil conditions; we can not supply blue flowering Hydrangeas.

To make these Hydrangeas bloom blue, incorporate one-half pound of alum, broken into pieces about the size of a hickory-nut, with each bushel of soil.

Price for all, from 3-inch pots, 25 cents each; from 4-inch pots, 75 cents each; from 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each, by express.

**AVALANCHE.** Magnificent, large, white; very free-flowering.

**BOQUET ROSE.** Large clusters of rosy amber changing to bright pink. Quite a distinct color and very beautiful.

**LA LORRAINE.** Large flowers; pale rose turning to bright pink.

**MME. E. MOUILLERE.** Large individual flowers of pure white which form massive heads. Won the Silver Medal at Boston, 1913.

**MOUSSELINE.** Mauve-rose with cream-colored center; often comes darker.

**HORTENSIS.** A well known favorite plant, producing large heads of pink flowers in great profusion. It thrives best in a shaded situation, with a plentiful supply of water.

**OFFER 60:** Any 3 of above, in 3-inch size, 60 cents; any 3 in 4-inch size, \$2.00, or any 3 in largest size, \$4.00, by express.

French Hydrangea  
Try a few along the base of your porch

## Hardy Garden Lilies

The beauty of the Lilies appeals to everyone. A really beautiful garden without them is unimaginable; they are needed in quantity and variety to complete it, against evergreens, in groups or lines in the shrubbery or borders, wherever serene, stately, faultless beauty of outline is required. We here list only those that every good garden really needs.

One each of these four grand Lilies for \$1.10.

**AURATUM (Gold-banded Lily).** Large graceful flowers, composed of six petals of a delicate ivory-white, thickly studded with chocolate-crimson spots and striped through the center a golden-yellow. Large bulbs, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

**SPECIOSUM ALBUM.** Large white flowers of great substance, with a greenish band running through the center of each petal. Large bulbs, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

**SPECIOSUM RUBRUM, or ROSEUM.** White, heavily spotted with rich, rosy-crimson spots. Large bulbs, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

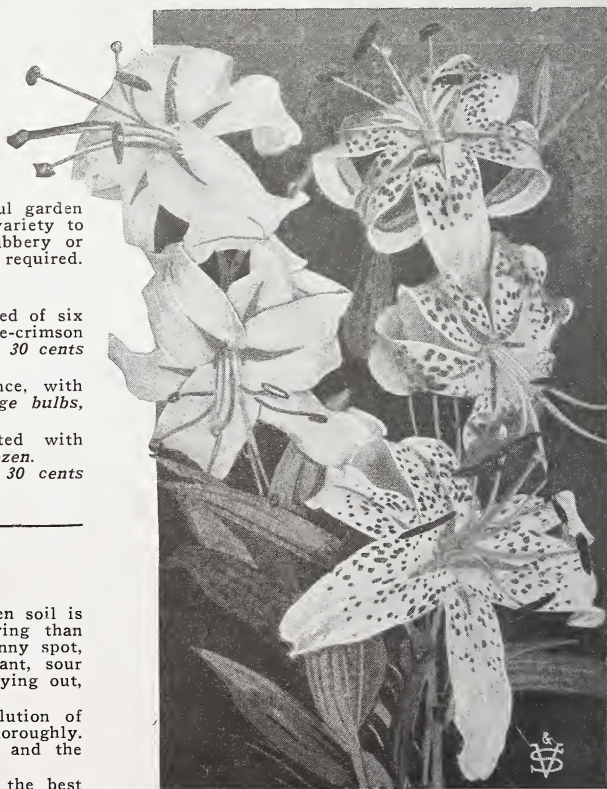
**SPECIOSUM MAGNIFICUM.** Rich, deep red. Large bulbs, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

## CARE OF FERNS

The rule to be observed in watering ferns is to water them when soil is dry and then thoroughly. More Ferns are ruined by over-watering than any other variety of plant. Unless they are placed in a dry, sunny spot, little water is required. Constant, steady watering causes stagnant, sour soil and for this reason it is necessary to give opportunity for drying out, to keep soil sweet and pure.

For scale or fungus secure Whale Oil Soap and make a solution of one-fourth pound to two gallons of water and wet foliage thoroughly. Cover entire plant with cloth to keep the fumes from escaping and the evaporation of solution.

Once a year is sufficient to repot plants. March or April are the best months. Fertilizer is necessary for all ferns.



*Lilium Auratum and Spec. Melpomene*



## HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS, or Old-Fashioned Garden Flowers

One of the chief delights that come from owning a garden is in having flowers enough to give one's friends, as well as for house and table decorations. The beauty, variety and lasting qualities of Hardy Perennials make them especially useful as cut-flowers. They are also valuable for adding brightness and color to the border beds, and a comparatively small collection will enable you to have some flowers in bloom all summer through.

### AQUILEGIA-COLUMBINE

One of the most elegant and beautiful of hardy plants, producing graceful spurred flowers on long stems. *Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.*

### ANTHEMIS-CHAMOMILE

(*GOLDEN MARGUERITE*). A bushy plant with dark green, finely cut foliage and clear, golden-yellow flowers. *Price, 15c each.*

### ANCHUSA-SEA BUGLOSS

*ITALICA*. Large heads or spikes of beautiful dark blue flowers all summer and large leaves with rough surface. *Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.*

### CAMPANULA

(*Blue Bells of Scotland*)

This is the true hare-bell or blue-bell famed in song and story, with beautiful clear blue flowers from June to August. *Price, 20 cents each, 3 for 50 cents.*

### COREOPSIS-TICKSEED

*LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA*. Flowers rich golden yellow; on stems two or three feet high. They remind one of a yellow cosmos. *Price, 15 cents each.*

### GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath)

The flowers are small, star-like, and borne in feathery sprays which are highly esteemed for cut flowers. *Price, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cents.*

### FUNKIA-DAY LILY

*VARIEGATED LEAVED*. Leaves as handsome as a flower. A rosette cluster of almost white leaves, lightly striped with green and yellow. Flowers pretty pink lilac blue on tall spikes. *Price, 30 cents each; 2 for 50 cents.*

*LARGE WHITE*. Blooms continuously from August until frost, producing scores and even hundreds of its large lilies. Handsome light green foliage. *Price, 35 cents each.*

### LEMON LILY-HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA

Few plants present a more striking appearance on the lawn or border than a large clump of this clear, lemon-colored Lily, which is produced in greatest profusion, lasting in flower a long time. *Price, 30 cents each; 2 for 50 cents.*

### PENSTEMON-BEARD TONGUE

Flowers all through summer on tall, erect stems, upon which are borne long, loose panicles of bright lilac blue, trumpet-shaped flowers; exceedingly airy and graceful. *Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.*

### FOXGLOVE-DIGITALIS

The strong flower-stalks—frequently four to six feet high—rising from rich and luxuriant masses of leaves, always give an elegant appearance to the hardy border. Mixed colors. *Price, 20 cents each; 3 for 50 cents.*

### GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)

*GRANDIFLORA*. Makes one of the most gorgeous and prodigal displays of all perennials. Flowers often measure three inches in diameter, on clean two-foot stems. A hard center of deep maroon is thickly bordered by petals of orange and yellow, strikingly ringed by circles of crimson, red and maroon. *Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.*

### GOLDEN GLOW (Double Rudbeckia)

Bears immense masses of large, round, golden yellow flowers for weeks. *Price, 15 cents each; clumps, 20 cents each.*

### RUDBECKIA PURPUREA

(*Giant Purple Cone-Flower*). Flowers about four inches across, of a peculiar cone-shaped center of brown; forms bushy plants three feet high, and blooms from July to October. *Price, 30 cents each.*

### HELIOPSIS (Orange Sunflower)

Similar to Hardy Sunflower in habit, but grows only two or three feet high and begins to bloom earlier in the season. The flowers are two inches in diameter, deep golden yellow. *Price, 20 cents each; 3 for 50 cents.*

Foxgloves



## JAPANESE IRIS-IRIS KAEMPFERI

**GRANDIFLORA.** These magnificent Iris are among the most beautiful of our summer flowering plants, and rival the Orchids in their colorings. The prevailing colors are white, crimson, rose-lilac, lavender, violet and blue. Each flower usually contains several shades, while a golden-yellow blotch at the base of the petals intensifies the wealth of coloring. *Price, double and single flowered, named varieties, 30 cents each; 3 for 75 cents.*

## GERMAN IRIS-IRIS GERMANICA

Bloom in May and June, several or many flowers to a stem, much taller than the leaves, which are silvery-green and sword-shaped. *Price, 20 cents each; 6 for \$1.00.*

## HIBISCUS-MALLOW

**HARDY WHITE HIBISCUS (White Mallow).** Tall, free-flowering, perfectly hardy; color white, deep crimson center. *Price, 40 cents each.*

**HARDY PINK HIBISCUS (Pink Mallow).** Similar to the hardy white Hibiscus, but the flower is of a clear even pink, very striking. *Price, 40 cents each.*

**HARDY CRIMSON HIBISCUS (Crimson Mallow).** Immense striking deep crimson flowers; nothing with as much merit has been introduced in recent years. *Price, 50 cents each.*

## HOLLYHOCK

Double. Its long spikes of short-stemmed rose-like flowers are particularly well suited to plant against the wall or fence, or in the background of a hardy perennial border. Five best colors—yellow, crimson, white, maroon and pink. *Price, 30 cents each; one each of any four colors, \$1.00.*



*Hibiscus Mallow*

## FRAGRANT HARDY GARDEN PINKS

*Favorite of the Old-Fashioned Garden—The Fragrant Pinks.*

**ABBOTSFORD.** A beautiful deep carmine, marbled with white. *10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.*

**HER MAJESTY.** A grand variety; clear snow-white, elegantly fringed and delicately clove-scented. *15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents; \$1.50 per dozen.*

## HARDY PHLOXES

*The Best Named Sorts.*

*Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen*

**CHAMPS ELYSEE.** Very bright rosy magenta, effective shade.

**F. G. VON LASSEBURG.** The purest white in cultivation.

**GOLIATH.** Massive panicles of rich crimson-carmine with deeper eye.

**HERMINE.** Pure white flowers; a perfect little gem.

**MRS. JENKINS.** The best tall early white for massing.

**BERGARTNER WITTIG.** Bright magenta, with crimson-carmine eye; large flowers and truss; one of the best.

**PROFESSOR VIRCHOW.** Bright carmine.

**PANTHEON.** Bright carmine rose.

**PIERRE BAYLE.** Crimson-carmine.

**PROSPER HENRI.** Pure white, with eye of rosy-magenta.

**PACHA.** Deep rosy-pink, and carmine-purple eye.

**R. P. STRUTHERS.** Rosy-carmine, with claret-red eye, fine.

**ROSENBERG.** Bright reddish-violet with blood-red eye.

**SUNSHINE.** Large, aniline-red, with crimson-red eye and light halo.

**VON GOETHE.** Tyrian-rose, suffused with carmine-lake and carmine eye.



*Double Hollyhock*



## Large Double Flowering Peonies



*Peonia*

Once planted they will last a lifetime with little care. They grow from one to three feet high, producing magnificent blooms, which sometimes almost surpass the beauty of the Rose. Another point which is largely in their favor, is the fact that the plants are never attacked by either insects, animal or fungal diseases. Peonies will succeed in most any kind of soil, but give best results when planted in a deep rich and somewhat moist loam.

**AGIDA.** Medium sized, double, midseason; the most nearly scarlet of any red Peony. *Price, 75 cents.*

**FRAGRANS.** Solferino-red with slight silvery reflex. Compact, bomb type, strong vigorous grower, medium size, late. *Price, 75 cents.*

**FESTIVA MAXIMA.** About the largest and undoubtedly the most popular Peony of them all. High built flowers borne on long stiff stems, the purest white, inner petals slightly tipped carmine. Early. *Price, 75 cents.*

**EDULIS SUPERBA.** Very soft salmon-pink, changing to blush white. Blooms habitually in broad clusters and makes a fine bedder. *Price, 75 cents.*

**MADAME CALOT.** This is the freest flowering of all Peonies. It is known in Holland as the Glory of Boskoop. Flesh white, shaded salmon; large convex flowers, fine buds, extra for cut flowers. *Price, 75 cents.*

**JULES CALOT.** Color distinct from all others, bright carmine-pink, with crinkly tips of silvery-white. Immense, loose, rounded heads borne in profusion. *75 cents each.*

## OLD-FASHIONED GARDEN PEONIES

**ROSEA.** Deep cerise-pink. *Price, 50 cents each.*

**ALBA.** Pure white; large flower. *Price, 50 cents each.*

**RUBRA.** Deep crimson; early. *Price, 50 cents each.*

*One each of the Old-Fashioned Peonies, red, white and pink, for \$1.35.*

## SHASTA DAISY

In growth the plants are as strong as a common field Daisy, very tall, well branched, with fine cut foliage and huge white flowers borne in profusion, on long stiff stems. The flowers are pure white with gold center, petals very long and center soft and velvety. It is a very pretty hardy plant and one of the novelties that has come to stay. *Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.*

**TRIUMPH.** Pure white flowers with long, broad petals; grand variety for cutting flowers for a long period. *Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.*

## MOSS OR MOUNTAIN PINKS

Of very dwarf habit with moss-like evergreen foliage. It thrives everywhere and spreads rapidly; hence, of great value for carpeting, edging and rockeries. It flowers so freely that it produces a sheet of bloom in early spring which completely conceals the plant. Much used for cemetery planting.

**ALBA.** Pure white.

**ROSEA.** Bright rose.

*Price, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cents.*

## SEDUM-STONECROP SPECTABILIS

*(Brilliant)*

One of the prettiest erect-growing species, attaining a height of 18 inches, with broad light green foliage and immense heads of handsome showy, amaranth red-colored flowers; indispensable as a late fall-blooming plant. *Price, 20 cents each.*

## RIBBON GRASS

*(Phalaris Arundinacea Variegata)*

Green leaves, striped lengthwise with creamy white. *10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.*

## SWEET WILLIAM

Plants of extreme richness and diversity of color. They have greatly improved of late years. One and one-half feet, hardy, perennial. *Price, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cts.*

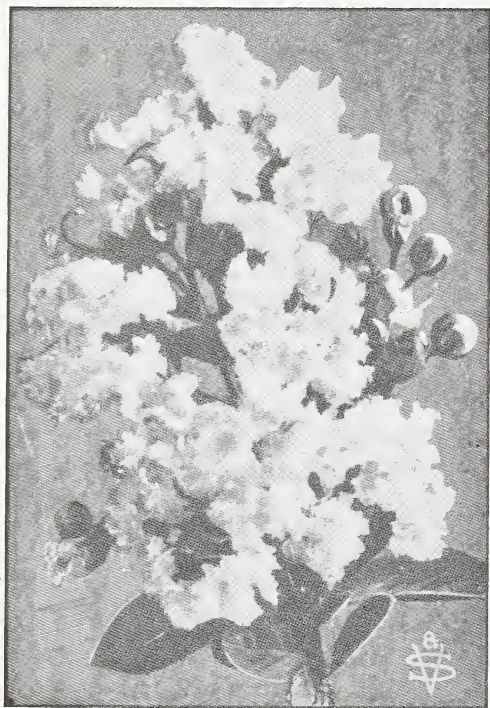


*Moss or Mountain  
Pink*



# SOME SHRUBS THAT BLOOM

In corners of the grounds, at curves in walks and driveways, and at the house foundations are excellent places to plant shrubs. They should always be in groups, unless their ultimate size will be quite large. Lilacs may be used in specimen plantings, but low-growing shrubs, such as the Spireas, etc., should be set in clumps. In grouping it is always good policy to plant the taller growing varieties back of the lower sorts. This gives a "step-down" effect, and seems to join the house to the lawn.



Beautiful White Flowered Crape Myrtle

## BUDDLEIA

**VARIABILIS VEITCHIANA.** (Butterfly Shrub, or Summer Lilac.) Violet-mauve flowers, borne in spikes 12 to 15 inches long; blooms from July till frost. Should have winter protection. Two-year, 50 cents.

## DEUTZIAS

**PRIDE OF ROCHESTER.** Grows strong and upright, four to six feet high; flowers very double and full; pure white, tinged with blush.

**CRENATA.** Single. Pure white flowers.

**FLORA PLENA ROSA.** Flowers double white tinged with pink, in racemes four or five inches long; one of our finest hardy shrubs. Price, 50 cents each.

A CHOICE SELECTION OF FLOWERING SHRUBS  
THAT WILL GIVE

**BLOOM FROM APRIL TO SEPTEMBER**

- |                           |                      |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| 2 Altheas (2 colors)      | 2 Weigelas (2 vars.) |
| 1 Hydrangea panic (grand) | 2 Deutzias (2 vars.) |
| 1 Bush Honeysuckle        | 2 Spireas (2 vars.)  |
| 1 Philadelphus            | 1 Forsythia          |

The above 12 hardy Shrubs, two-year size, the 12 for \$5.00,  
by express

## DOUBLE ALTHEAS—ROSE OF SHARON

They grow neat and compact, and make nice shapely trees, four to six feet high. They bloom in August and September, when other flowers are scarce, and are literally covered with large, perfectly double flowers, like roses, of different brilliant and striking colors. Price, 50 cents each.

**JOAN d'ARC.** This is entirely new, and the finest Double White Althea ever introduced; grows regular and compact, and is literally covered with large, perfectly double pure white flowers, three inches across.

**BANNER.** Large double flowers; clear bright pink.

**LUCY.** Large, double rose-red flowers; very handsome.

**TOTUS ALBUS.** Finest single pure white.

## PINK FLOWERING ALMOND

Flowers double, rose color, one of the first to flower in the spring. Very showy. Price, by express, 60 cents each.

## WHITE FLOWERING ALMOND

Same as pink variety in growth and habit, but bearing white flowers. They should be planted together. Price, by express, 60 cents each.

## ABELIA GRANDIFLORA

After a thorough test in different sections of the South we find this one of our most beautiful evergreens when planted in a half-shaded position. The graceful drooping stems are covered with dark glossy leaves and produce an immense quantity of tubular shaped white flowers about an inch long, borne in clusters from the middle of May until frost. During the growing season, it is advisable to pinch off the ends of the shoots—this will make the bush dense and compact. This plant is very valuable for single specimens for groups or for a hedge. Price, large plants, 75 cents each, or 3 for \$2.00.

## CALYCANTHUS

(Sweet Scented Shrub). Flowers chocolate color, very double and deliciously fragrant; remains in bloom for a long time; very desirable. Price, 50 cents each.

## CRAPE MYRTLE— LAGERSTROEMIA

**INDICA.** Very beautiful shrub. A profuse and continuous bloomer; flowers bright rosy pink, curiously crimped petals. Price, 60 cents each.

**NEW CRIMSON.** Vivid crimson. Price, 60 cents each.

**WHITE.** Flowers purest white and beautiful; of recent introduction and a general favorite where known; of vigorous and symmetrical growth. Price, 60 cents each.

## FORSYTHIA— GOLDEN BELLS

This is one of the most useful shrubs for the permanent decoration of buildings. It can be easily trained over a wall, fence or tree trunk. The flowers are bell-shaped, of a clear yellow, and there are no green leaves. It is the earliest shrub to bloom. Price, nice strong plants, 50 cents each.



Calycanthus





Philadelphus or Mock Orange

## SNOWBERRY

(*Symphoricarpos Racemosus*)

(Grows 3 to 5 feet; flowers through summer). A well known shrub with small pink flowers and beautiful large white berries that hang on the stems through the winter. Price, good strong field grown plants, 50 cents each; 3 for \$1.25.

**VULGARIS** (Indian Currant). Similar to the Snowberry, except that its fruits are red, and that the smaller red berries cluster in thick ropes about the weighed-down stems. Price, 50 cents each.

## JAPANESE ROSE

(*Kerria Japonica Flore Pleno*; Double Flowered Kerria)

This variety has showy double flowers which are of a vigorous growth. Flowers are showy yellow; the shrub has slender green branches. Perfectly hardy. An attractive shrub for any garden. Price, good strong plants, 25 cents each; large field grown plants, 50 cents each; 3 for \$1.25.

## EUONYMUS JAPONICA

A hardy ornamental plant with rich, handsome foliage; splendid for specimen pot plants and for hedges. Price, pot plants, 25 cents each, dozen, \$2.50.

**E. ARGENTEA VARIEGATA**. Variegated variety with leaves conspicuously margined with white, and constant in its colorings. Price, 50 cents each.

**PULCHELUS**. A very dwarf plant with small leaves, scarcely ever exceeding eight to ten inches in height. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

## EUONYMUS

Dense-growing, evergreen vines, climbing by aerial roots, often reaching 15 to 20 feet high. They bear pretty fruits and make good growth if planted in rich soil.

**E. RADICANS**. Small, rich green leaves; a splendid wall-covering.

**E. RADICANS VARIEGATA**. Leaves green and white. Price, either above varieties, 20 cents each; extra size, 35 cents, by express.

## HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA

Blooms in July and September

The flowers are rich, creamy white, changing to pink, and borne in immense clusters, often more than a foot long; it blooms in August, the first and every succeeding year and continues in bloom for months. It is entirely hardy, no trouble to grow, and splendid effects can be obtained with this free-flowering shrub by planting it in masses along driveways, in groups among shrubbery or as a center for beds. Price, two-year, strong field grown plants, 75 cents each.

## LILAC

Nearly every one is fond of Lilac blossoms. Their sweet fragrance comes with the first breath of spring, and their delicate colors of blue and white seem like a legacy from our grandmother's garden. Still popular. They bloom in May, and grow to 8 or 10 feet in height.

**OLD-FASHIONED or COMMON LILAC**. Strong, vigorous, upright, growth; rich, dark green foliage and large panicles of fragrant purple flowers.

**STANDARD WHITE LILAC**. Same habit of growth as above, but with pure white, fragrant flowers. Price, two-year, field grown plants, 60 cents each.

## MOCK ORANGE-PHILADELPHUS

**SINGLE**. Creamy white, cupped flowers; intensely fragrant. Price, two-year, 60 cents each.

## A Poorly Planted Place Is an Eyesore

Our 50-page Booklet, "Home Grounds, Their Planning and Planting," tells how to hake and plant lawns, borders, terraces, etc. Well illustrated and very instructive.

Price, 50 cents,  
Postpaid.

Free with an  
order of shrubs,  
when asked for.

Make your  
place  
pleasing to  
look at.



The popular sweet-scented Purple Lilac



## FREE-FLOWERING

## WEIGELAS



These may be planted  
in the sun or shade.  
They make a broad, vig-  
orous growth 5 to 8 feet  
in height. In the spring the en-  
tire branches are covered with

Price,  
75 cents each;  
3 for \$2.00

white, pink or red, trumpet-shaped flowers.  
**EVA RATHKE.** The everblooming Weigela. It has splendid  
foliage, and the lovely, dark red flowers, with creamy white  
markings, produce an effect not to be had in any other shrub.  
The flowers are produced continuously.

**CANDIDA.** Flowers pure white, borne in great clusters in  
June and occasionally throughout the summer. (See cut.)

**ROSEA.** Makes a large, handsome bush, with rose-pink flow-  
ers in great profusion.

## FLOWERING PEACH

*Double—Pink and White*

A most beautiful small tree rarely over 20 feet tall; at its  
blossoming time in May every twig and branch bright with  
beautifully formed flowers, rendering the tree showy and at-  
tractive at a great distance. The habit of the two varieties is  
the same, the only difference being in the color of the flowers.  
Price, 75 cents each; one of each for \$1.35.

## SPIREA-THE SPIREAS

**SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER.** A fine hardy perpetual  
blooming shrub, particularly desirable for the door yard and  
lawn, or wherever fine, hardy flowering shrubs are wanted.  
Makes nice round bushes only 15 to 18 inches high; begins to  
bloom almost as soon as planted, continuing all summer and  
fall; rich, rosy, red flowers. If lifted and taken indoors will  
bloom all winter. *Strong plants that will bloom this season,*  
*two-year, 50 cents each.*

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI.** The grandest of all white Spireas;  
it is a beautiful ornament for the lawn at any season, but when  
in flower it is a complete fountain of white bloom, the foliage  
hardly showing. Clusters of twenty to thirty flat white florets  
make up the racemes, and are set close along the drooping  
stems. *Price, 50 cents each.; 4 for \$1.75.*

**SPIREA BILLARDIA.** (Grows 3 to 5 feet, flowers in sum-  
mer.) Plume like spikes of deep rose-colored flowers. *Price,*  
*good strong large plants, 50 cents each.*

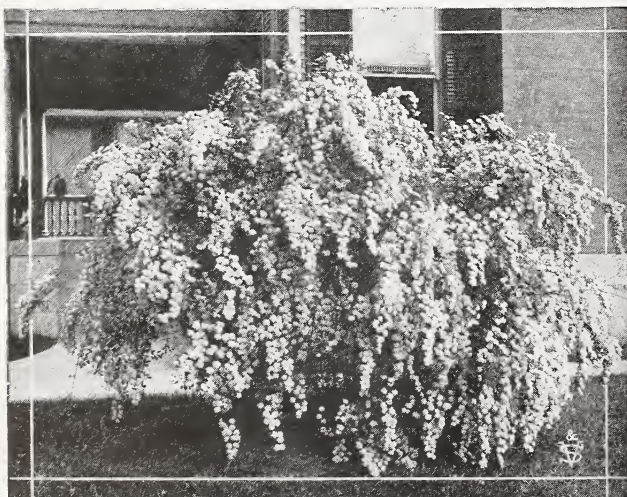
**SPIREA COLOSSA ALBA.** Pure white flowered, dwarf grow-  
ing variety; very good for edging beds of taller growing shrubs.  
*Price, .50 cents each.*

## SNOWBALL, OR GUELDER ROSE

This splendid shrub, the old-fashioned snowball, is still one  
of the most popular. The bush attains large size and is a hand-  
some lawn ornament; early in the spring the gorgeous flowers  
appear—great clusters of immense snow-white blossoms of great  
size that make the bush appear almost a solid snow bank. *Price,*  
*strong two-year, field plants, 60 cents each; 3 for \$1.60.*

## LONICERA-BUSH HONEYSUCKLE

The upright Honeysuckles have bright and pretty fragrant  
flowers followed by the showy berries that last through the fall.  
Make very desirable and attractive hedges. *Price, 40 cents each.*



*Spirea Van Houttei*



## Beautiful Hardy Climbing Vines

**HOP VINES** *GREEN-LEAVED.* A useful climber for covering unsightly places. It is a rapid grower and bears a profusion of seed-pods suitable for many domestic purposes. Price, 35 cents each.

### BIGNONIA (Trumpet Vine)

For covering unsightly places, stumps, rockwork, or wherever a showy-flowing vine is desired, the Bignonias will be found very useful. The flowers are large, attractive and borne profusely when the plants attain a fair size. Dark red, orange throat. Price, 35 cents each.

### ANTIGONON LEPTOPUS (Mountain Rose)

A lovely climber from Central Mexico, with beautiful rose-colored flowers in racemes two feet long. The profusion of bloom is such as to give the resemblance of Roses at a distance, hence the Mexican name "Rosa de Montana," or "Mountain Rose." Described by its discoverer as the most beautiful climber he had ever beheld. Price, 35 cents each; 3 for \$1.00.

### Honeysuckles

**HALL'S.** Even in cold climates this vine holds its leaves until January; in the South it is evergreen. Flowers white, changing to yellow. Price, 35 cents.

**SCARLET TRUMPET.** The most beautiful and brilliant of all Honeysuckles; is also the hardiest and most vigorous. The foliage is bluish green, the berries scarlet, flowers scarlet. Also called Coral Honeysuckle. Price, strong plants, 35 cents each.



*Bignonia Radicans*

### Wisteria

**CHINESE BLUE.**

There is no vine more decorative in its effect than the Wisteria. For porch decoration without too much shade they have no superior. Light purple and blue flowers in May. Price, 40 cents each.

### English Ivy

One of the most beautiful vines for walls, pillars, tree trunks, ground covers, etc., that can be used. Price, strong plants, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per dozen; extra strong plants, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per dozen.



Wisterias will climb to your roof if desired.

CLEMATIS PANICULATA

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Flowers are rich, creamy white, star-shaped, and borne in beautiful clusters, completely covering the vine with beautiful star-shaped blossoms, exceedingly fragrant; the sweetest of all Clematis and one of the hardiest and easiest to grow. Price, good strong plants, 40 cents each; 2 for 75 cents.

### JAPAN OR BOSTON IVY

A beautiful hardy climbing plant, for covering walls, as it clings firmly to the smoothest surface, covering it smoothly with overlapping leaves, which form a perfect mass of foliage. The color is a fresh, deep green in summer, changing to the brightest shade of crimson and yellow in autumn. It is quite hardy, and becomes more popular every year. Price, strong plants, 50 cents each.

### AMERICAN IVY

(*Ampelopsis Quinquetfolia*)

The true Virginia Creeper. A well known hardy, rapid, high climbing vine, clinging to walls, trellises and trunks of trees. The foliage fades in the autumn and assumes brilliant and gorgeous shades of yellow, crimson and scarlet in the fall. Strong plants, 40 cents; 3 for \$1.00.

### EUONYMUS

Dense-growing, evergreen vines, climbing by aerial roots, often reaching 15 to 20 feet high. They bear pretty fruits and make good growth if planted in rich soil.

**E. RADICANS.** Small, rich green leaves; a splendid wall-covering.

**E. RADICANS VARIEGATA.** Leaves green and white. Price, either above varieties, 20 cents each; extra size, 35 cents, by express.





*The New Hale Peach*

## PEACHES—THE SOUTH'S FAVORITE FRUIT

Price, 60 cents each; \$6.00 per dozen

**MAYFLOWER.** This peach is absolutely red all over, even before it gets ripe enough to ship. Carries to market in fine shape and sells well and is the only early peach that is well colored. Inclined to overbear; should always be thinned.

**GREENSBORO.** The largest and most beautifully colored of all the early varieties. Double the size of Alexander, ripening at the same time. Flesh white, juicy and good.

**CARMINE.** Large; creamy white, with deep blush; skin tough, but flesh very tender and of fine flavor; prolific bearer. A most profitable and popular variety. Ripens June 20 to July 1.

**CHAMPION.** Large; skin creamy white, with red cheek; flesh rich and juicy. Ripens middle to last of July.

**BELLE (Belle of Georgia).** Very large; skin white, with red cheek; flesh white, firm and of excellent flavor; very prolific; excellent shipper. Tree a rapid grower. July 5 to 20.

**ELBERTA.** Too well known to need description. Sure and prolific. Very large. Orange-yellow, more or less covered with crimson. Flesh firm, good quality. Freestone. Seed large. This is the leading commercial variety grown in the Southwest.

**HALE.** Probably no new peach has ever been introduced claiming to be so much superior in all ways. It averages one-third to one-half larger than Elberta, ripens about five days earlier and is much superior in flavor. Color a beautiful golden yellow, with deep carmine blush. It has been tested and largely planted in many sections of the country.

**INDIAN BLOOD.** Large, dark claret, with deep red veins; downy; flesh deep red; very juicy. Middle of August.

**HEATH LATE WHITE.** Large; oval; skin creamy white; very seldom with any red; flesh pure white to the stone; juicy and sweet, with good aroma. Very popular for preserving. Ripens beginning of September.

**LATE ELBERTAS.** Identical with Elberta in size, color, shape and quality, but ripens a month later.

**STUMP THE WORLD.** Very large round white, with red cheek. Flesh white, juicy and good. One of the best late sorts.

### APRICOTS

Price, \$1.00 Each

A splendid fruit for Western localities. Should be planted in other sections only for home use. Cultivation same as Peaches. A few should be grown in every orchard. Ripens in June and July.

**EARLY GOLDEN.** Pale yellow, vigorous and prolific. The tree is a very strong grower, hardy, vigorous and productive. Blooms late.

**MOORPARK.** Very large, orange color, with a deep orange-red cheek. Flesh firm, quite juicy, rich, luscious flavor.

**ROYAL.** Large, roundish, oval, light yellowish orange color. Very rich, highly flavored.

**SPRAYING.** The best time to spray, and the best formulas to use, vary so much in different localities that we do not try to give tables for formulas in this catalogue. Bulletins can be obtained of your State Agricultural Experiment Station, that will give full information.



*The Unsurpassed Elbertas*

## Arsenate of Lead Powder

A chemically accurate combination of Arsenic which is the poisoning agent, and Lead which serves to hold the poison upon the foliage and also counteracts possible damage to the leaf itself. An efficient destroyer of all leaf-eating insects which attack either fruit or shade trees, shrubs, flowers or vegetables. Mixes readily with water, and sticks; kills the bugs—and saves the leaf.

One-half pound cartons, 40 cents each; 1 pound cartons, 70 cents, postpaid.

## DRY LIME SULFUR

Use same as Lime Sulfur Solution.

This is the only actual Dry Lime Sulfur on the market that can be used for any purposes for which Liquid Lime Sulfur Solution has been used heretofore. It is simply the Liquid Lime Sulfur Solution dried and only the addition of water is required to produce the spray. Every grower knows Lime Sulfur Solution and what it will accomplish, and the material has come into general use despite its many disadvantages.

Dry Lime Sulfur overcomes all of these disadvantages and offers the grower for the first time Lime Sulfur Solution in dry powder form.

Price, 1 lb. carton, 50 cents.



# APPLES

## OUR STATE ENTOMOLOGIST'S CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION WITH EVERY SHIPMENT OF TREES

The universal domestic fruit. Apples are pre-eminently the fruit of commerce, more widely and more extensively grown than any other fruit. Many sections of the Southwest are leading in the production of apples. Our list comprises the varieties recognized as standard. Great care has been exercised in selection and all trees are healthy and vigorous and free from disease.

*Apples, 75 cents each; \$7.50 per dozen*

**DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG.** Tree a strong grower, young and abundant bearer. Fruit large, yellow streaked red, rich sub-acid flavor, juicy and good.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** One of the most desirable early apples in cultivation. Early bearer, frequently producing fine fruit on two-year trees in nursery rows. Good grower and hardy, fruit pale yellow, good size and good quality; skin clear white at first, becoming a beautiful pale yellow when fully matured. Ripens before Early Harvest.

**EARLY HARVEST.** Medium to large; pale yellow; tender with a mild, fine flavor. An erect grower and a good bearer; excellent for orchard and garden; one of the first to ripen.

**RED JUNE.** Medium conical; deep red; juicy. Very productive.

**RED ASTRACHAN.** Large, beautiful deep crimson, overspread with a thick bloom; juicy, rich, acid and productive. One of the best of the summer apples.

**HORSE.** Large; green; acid. Good for cooking and drying. Known everywhere. A very productive variety.

**MAIDEN'S BLUSH.** Rather large, smooth, with a fine evenly shaded red cheek or blush, on a clear, pale yellow ground; flesh white, tender, sprightly with a pleasant, sub-acid flavor; bears large crops. Valuable market sort.

**YELLOW BELLFLOWER.** Beautiful, and excellent for any purpose. Yellow, tinged with red; oblong, crisp and juicy, with an aromatic flavor.



*Mammoth Black Twig Apple*

**JONATHAN.** Medium, pale yellow, nearly covered with brilliant stripes of lively red; flesh white, juicy, spicy, sub-acid, fine grained, rich. Tree a slender grower, very productive. An excellent fruit and favorite market variety.

**STAYMAN'S WINESAP.** An improvement over the Winesap. The fruit is large, and it is much more prolific than the Winesap, which it resembles in color and flavor. A fine apple.

**MAMMOTH BLACK TWIG.** A large, dark red apple. Tree is a very good grower and very productive. A good market variety.

**DELICIOUS.** A remarkable variety introduced in the West several years ago, where it is being largely planted and rapidly taking first rank both for commercial and home orchards. No new variety has ever so quickly gained popularity in so many different apple sections. Fruit large, nearly covered with brilliant dark red; flesh fine grained, crisp and melting, juicy, with a delightful aroma; of very highest quality. A splendid keeper and shipper. Tree one of the hardiest, a vigorous grower, with good foliage. A regular annual bearer.

**ARKANSAS BLACK.** A fair-sized, winter, market apple. Color, beautiful maroon. Flesh firm and fine-grained. Juicy and keeps well. Tree is a vigorous grower, hardy and productive; comes into bearing quite young.

**GRIMES GOLDEN.** Greatly prized as a hardy variety, producing annual crops. Medium, roundish oblate; rich golden yellow, with small dots; flesh yellow, juicy, tender, crisp, rich, sprightly sub-acid, with a fine aroma.



*Delicious Apple*

**OWING TO THE SIZE OF OUR FRUIT TREES WE CAN NOT SEND BY PARCEL POST**

## Good Packing Pays—Pays Us As Well As You, Our Customers

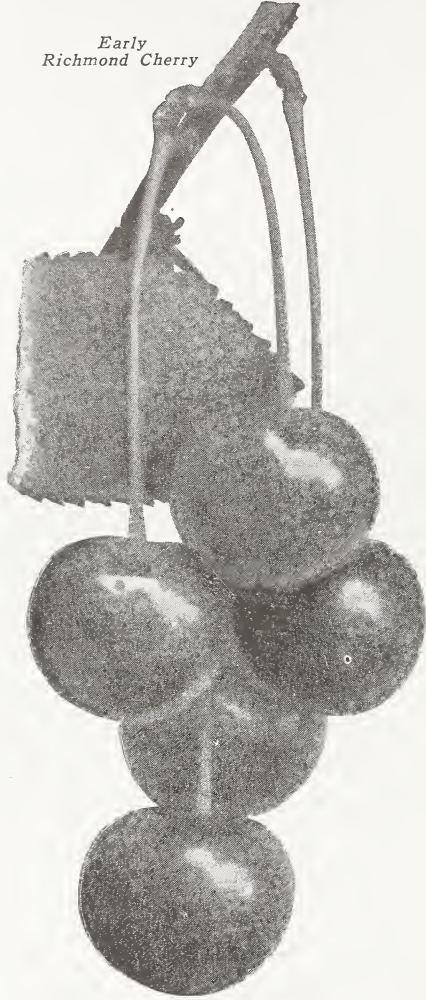
Our system of shipping costs us much more than ordinary methods of packing—but it insures delivery of trees to you in perfect condition.

We box, pack and bale with great care. We always *paper line* the boxes. This preserves the moisture of the moss packed around the roots.

Furthermore, all our trees are packed by men who have years of experience in this one work alone. Most of them have been with us since youth. Their long experience has given them the essential "know how" that assures satisfactory shipments.



Early  
Richmond Cherry



## CHERRIES

Thrive in nearly all sections, preferring an elevated naturally light, dry, retentive soil. The sour kinds need more moisture and will grow in heavier land. They bear better when associated with another variety.

Price, \$1.00 Each

**BLACK TARTARIAN.** Deep, purplish-black; very large, fine, sweet, rich flavor. A favorite. Beautiful tree, strong, upright, and bearing well.

**EARLY RICHMOND.** A Cherry of medium size; dark red; melting and juicy; unsurpassed for cooking purposes. Trees small and bushy, the hardiest of all varieties; uninjured by the coldest winters, and very productive in almost any locality.

**ENGLISH MORELLO.** Medium to large; deep red. Excellent for cooking; tender, acid and juicy. Tree of comparatively slow growth, dwarfish, forming a round, compact head; adapted to nearly all localities; very productive.

**MONTMORENCY.** Red, rich, acid, very hardy and productive.

## PLUMS

The ability of the Plum to adapt itself to various conditions of soil and climate makes it one of our most valuable fruits. When properly grown and well ripened on the tree the Plum is one of the most delicious fruits.

Price, \$1.00 Each

**ABUNDANCE (Botan).** One of the oldest and best known Japanese varieties; hardy and productive. Fruit large, lemon yellow, with heavy bloom; good quality. August.

**BURBANK.** The best and most profitable among growers for market; ripens 10 to 14 days after Abundance. Tree hardy, sprawling, vigorous grower, unequalled in productiveness; bears young. Fruit large, excellent quality; cherry red with lilac bloom.

**RED JUNE.** Recommended as "by all odds the best Japanese plum, ripening before Abundance." One of the vigorous, upright growers; productive; fair size, vermilion red; pleasant quality. Ripens a week before Abundance.

**AMERICA.** Tree very thrifty and symmetrical. Fruit medium to large. Cling. Bright golden brown with pink cheek. Flesh firm. Stone medium to large. Very valuable. June.

**WICKSON.** Large variety. Slightly heart-shaped. Yellow blushed with red. Flesh yellow, melting and good. Upright grower. Good bearer. June.

**SIX WEEKS.** Glowing red, large, meaty and rarely equalled. A good fine early plum. Tree a good grower.

**GOLD.** It is larger than Abundance and a very heavy fruiter. It is yellow, almost covered with rich purplish red. The tree is an upright grower and very thrifty—resembling Abundance, but a better tree and very hardy.

## FIGS

The below named sorts succeed well here. Price, two to three feet size, 50 cents each.

**BROWN TURKEY.** Medium brown; sweet and excellent; very prolific and reliable.

**BRUNSWICK.** Very large violet; quality good, and productive.

**CELESTIAL.** Makes large trees; hardy farther north than most other varieties. Small, pale-violet fruit, fine flavored, very early, commencing to ripen in June and continuing two months.

### SLUG-SHOT KILLS BUGS

A cheap powder destructive to insects that are injurious to house plants, shrubs, trees, vines, potatoes, melons, cabbage, currants, etc. Used in all latitudes since 1880 with safety to man, beast and fowl. Put up in perforated cartons and screw-top canisters, and is handy to use; merely dusting on the plant with the can. If you are troubled with insects on your Rose bushes, we recommend you to try this. It does the work quickly and thoroughly. Price, 1 pound package, 25 cents, postpaid.



Celestial Fig

THE PRICE OF OUR FRUIT TREES MAY SEEM HIGH  
THIS SPRING, BUT IF COMPARED WITH OTHER'S PRICES,  
THEY ARE EXTREMELY MODERATE, CONSIDERING OUR  
TREES ARE FOUR TO FIVE FEET HIGH.





Cumberland Raspberry

### THREE BEST RASPBERRIES

This fruit comes in just after Strawberries, and when properly cultivated is quite prolific. Plant on strong soil, fertilize freely, and mulch heavily. Pinch off canes when three feet high, tie up and cut out old wood each year. Price, 6 for 75 cents; 12 for \$1.25.

**THE GREAT COLUMBIAN RASPBERRY.** Hardy and vigorous, often growing eight to ten feet in a season, and standing any degree of frost and drouth. It is propagated by tips, and its productiveness is most astonishing. We know of no variety that can compare with it. The berries are large, dark purple, firm as to texture, with an agreeable, pure, rich flavor, which is brought to its highest flavor when canned or cooked. The most prolific of any sort known, the fruit fairly hanging in masses. A row or hedge of it is a sight to behold.

**CUTHEERT RED.** Scarlet crimson, large, conical, handsome, firm and juicy. Canes are strong, vigorous, upright and hardy. The best and most widely planted red Raspberry for home gardens.

**CUMBERLAND.** A healthy, vigorous grower, throwing up stout, stocky well branched canes that produce immense crops of magnificent berries. Fruit very large, firm, quality about same as Gregg, keeps and ships as well as any of the blacks. The most profitable market variety. Mid-season.

**NOTE.**—Please bear in mind that when our big shipping season is on it is impossible to keep up with our correspondence and orders. We ask our friends to be as indulgent as possible. In order to expedite correspondence, when you write us about anything please enclose a stamped envelope or post-card with your name and address written plainly.



St. Regis—The New Everbearing Raspberry

### THE EVERBEARING RASPBERRY

**ST. REGIS.** A unique variety of great value. It ripens very early—in advance of all others, and gives an immense summer crop. It also gives an autumn crop, continuing to produce large, perfect berries of full flavor until the ground freezes. The canes are of ironclad hardihood and of vigorous growth. Berries of good size, rich bright crimson in color, and of excellent quality. Unlike any other variety of the red Raspberries, it yields a moderate crop of berries the first season. For table use when fresh and for preserving, no fruit surpasses this delicious Raspberry. Price, 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$7.50.

JOS. W. VESTAL & SON, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sirs: The flowers arrived in good shape this morning. I see you enclosed an extra Coleus and several Roses extra, for which I truly thank you. I am fond of Roses.  
May 17th, 1920. Mrs. G. I. M., Union City, Tenn.

### CRAB APPLE

**TRANSCENDENT CRAB APPLE.** A large, superior variety; golden-yellow with rich crimson. Flesh crisp, juicy and aromatic, making excellent jelly and preserves. Small core. Tree wonderfully vigorous and productive. Price, 75 cents each.

### PEAR

Price, \$1.00 Each

**KEIFER.** Its large size, handsome appearance and remarkable keeping and shipping qualities make it exceedingly profitable for market. October and November.

**BARTLETT.** Clear lemon yellow with soft blush. Buttery, juicy and highly flavored. A great bearer. One of the favorite varieties.

**SECKEL.** Small, rich yellowish brown and red. Flesh rich, fine flavor. August.

**DUCHESSE.** Very large, greenish yellow, spotted with russet. Flesh white, buttery, with rich, excellent flavor.

### QUINCES

Price, \$1.00 Each

**ORANGE.** A vigorous grower and immensely productive. The fruit is large, lively orange yellow, of great beauty and delightful fragrance; its cooking qualities are unsurpassed.



Orange Quince

Our Fruit Trees are four to five feet high, mostly with nice heads, and can not be sent by Parcel Post.  
Compare our prices with others.

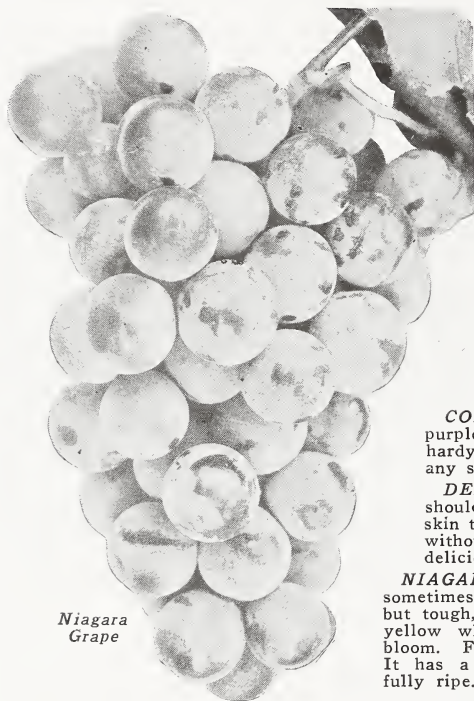


## THRIFTY FRUITS FOR EVERY MAN'S GARDEN

### LITTLE COST, LITTLE SPACE, LITTLE LABOR, AND BRING BIG RETURNS

When you plan a home garden, nowadays you have to consider what will give the best returns for the space occupied. These fruits all "earn their keep" and more, for from a single grape-vine, well matured, it is easy to get at least a bushel of luscious fruit for eating or preserving for winter. Blackberries and raspberries also produce fruit bountifully. Plant at least a dozen of a kind and plant wherever space can be found.

### LARGE, LUSCIOUS GRAPES



Niagara  
Grape

Grapes are ornamental as well as fruitful. Plant them wherever you have a place where the vines can be tied. You can plant them against buildings, over arches, on trellises, etc. These vines grow fast, they have large leaves, and make welcome shade in summer.

**AGAWAM.** Berries very large, with thick skin, pulp soft, sweet and sprightly, very vigorous, ripens early.

**BRIGHTON.** Large compact bunches, rich wine color, tender and almost seedless, sugary, juicy and rich flavor. Having thick foliage, it is enabled to withstand the heat of summer. We recommend this variety for vineyard or garden.

**CONCORD.** The old standby. A large purple grape, moderately sweet and juicy; hardy, productive and adapted to almost any soil.

**DELAWARE.** Bunches small, compact, shouldered. Berries rather small, round, skin thin, light red. Flesh very juicy and without hard pulp. Flavor sweet, spicy, delicious.

**NIAGARA.** Bunch medium to large, compact, sometimes shouldered. Berries large, skin thin but tough, pale green at first, changing to pale yellow when fully ripe, with a thin whitish bloom. Flesh slightly pulpy, tender and sweet. It has a musky odor which disappears when fully ripe. Ripens with Concord.

**WORDEN.** A splendid grape of the Concord type, larger, better quality and earlier. Vine vigorous; hardy and productive.

Price, 40 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen.



Worden  
Grape

### SCUPPERNONG GRAPES

This variety is purely Southern, and is of no value to the Northern or Western States. The vine is free from all diseases; fruit never decays. Plant twenty to thirty feet apart in rows. Train on an arbor or trellis and never trim. The product is very large and cultivation reduced to simple form. Price, two-year old vines, 60 cents each.

### DEWBERRY VINES

The Dewberry is closely related to the blackberry, but larger and much earlier. Some remarkable profit-records have been made with the Dewberry where there is a demand for an earlier and larger berry than the Blackberry.

**LUCRETIA.** The Lucretia is the best of all the Dewberries, glossy black, very large, coreless, juicy and sweet. The vine is

vigorous and spreads over the ground. Fruit ripens about ten days to two weeks before the Early Harvest Blackberry. Price, 6 for 75 cents; 12 for \$1.00.

### BLACKBERRIES

**EARLY HARVEST (Very Early Blackberry).** The Early Harvest is the very first Blackberry to ripen. Fruit medium size, roundish, oblong; flesh is soft, juicy, mild, pleasant, tender and very good. The vine is vigorous, upright and hardy.

**ELDORADO (Mid-Season Blackberry).** The Eldorado is a large, oblong, conical berry; small seeds and core; flesh tender, sweet and juicy. Jet black color when ripe. Vine is upright, hardy, vigorous and productive.

**SNYDER.** One of the hardiest, most dependable Blackberries. Good quality, good size, good shipper. Can always be depended upon. Price, 6 for 75 cents; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$7.50.

### NON-WARRANTY.

While we hold ourselves in readiness, on proper proof, to replace free of charge all trees, etc., that may prove untrue to label, or refund the amount paid, we give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any Nursery stock, seeds, bulbs or plants we sell.

### OUR GUARANTEE.

All goods are guaranteed to reach you in good condition; mistakes, if made, will be promptly rectified. Accept shipment, examine and count on receipt and notify us at once should there be any errors and the carrier as well, if any damaged stock. This guarantee not good unless above requirements are complied with. **WE DO NOT GUARANTEE GROWTH.** Remember a tree, shrub or plant is a living organism, as much as a cow, horse or man. It breathes, drinks and feeds and is liable to attacks of disease and insects. At prices we sell, it is impossible for us to guarantee growth or to be responsible for stock after delivery to our customers in good condition.

(Signed) JOS. W. VESTAL & SON.





## STRAWBERRIES

Lovers of Strawberries consider them the most delicious of earth's products, and it is certain that the big, juicy, firm, rich red berries offered in this collection are fit for a royal feast. After long trials and careful comparison we have selected from all the known sorts the varieties offered below as the most desirable and luscious Strawberries for the home or market garden. *They are all uniformly large, handsome, rich colored and delightfully flavored.* They make an ideal collection for the family garden. *Price, postpaid, by mail, 25 for 75 cents; 50 for \$1.25; 100 for \$2.00 By express, not prepaid, 100 for \$1.50; 500 for \$6.25.*

**AROMA.** A good grower and a reliable variety. Berries are of large size, rich in color, with smooth surface and prominent yellow seeds, and a high aromatic flavor.

**IMPROVED KLONDIKE.** This variety is noted for its large yields of beautiful berries, uniform in shape, rich blood-red in color and having a flavor that is neither sweet nor sour, but mildly delicious.

**LADY THOMPSON.** Early, strong, upright plants, root deeply; many long runners. Thrives in all soils, but best in rich loam or sand. Berries medium to large, regular, glossy pink solid, meaty, excellent.

**EXCELSIOR.** This variety is one of the very best extra earlies yet introduced, and is a vigorous, healthy grower—unusually productive for so early a sort—outyielding other standard earlies two to one, while the fruit averages large, is very handsome and firm.

**SENATOR DUNLAP.** Thoroughly tested and proved one of the best standard varieties wherever tried; strong, hardy, deep-rooted plants; a great bearer of bright, glossy red berries of first-class quality.

**GANDY.** A reliable late variety, berries bright crimson, very uniform in size and shape, large and firm, plants vigorous and healthy.

**ST. LOUIS.** One of the largest and finest berries grown, and being a heavy yielder as well, steadily is winning its way to a prominent place in the confidence of Strawberry growers. In shape the berry is conical and long, having an obtuse point. In color it is dark, lustrous shade of crimson, and is studded with brilliant, golden seeds, all of which tend to make it one of the handsomest berries.

## VESTAL'S EARLIEST STRAWBERRY

Of all Strawberries in our list, this ripens the earliest, producing an abundance of perfectly round, beautiful berries of very rich and delicious flavor. In fact it is one of the most productive varieties we have and as it ripens so extremely early it is the favorite home garden variety and also for the large grower, as the market price of the fruit is often 20 cents per quart. A delicious table berry and one of the very best for family use. *Price, 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.00.*

## FALL BEARING STRAWBERRIES

Fall-bearing Strawberries seem to be no longer an experiment, as they are becoming essential all over the country, and are making good every place they have been tested. If these varieties are disbudded, until say August 15 to September 1, and allowed to fruit, they will give large quantities of ripe berries until checked by hard freezing. The variety we offer we consider the best. *Price, 25 for \$1.00; 50 for \$1.75; 100 for \$3.00, postpaid.*

**PROGRESSIVE.** This is the strongest growing plant of all the fall-bearing varieties we have seen. The plants are very large and heavily rooted, producing a phenomenal crop of medium to large fruits, of a dark red color both inside and out.



*A Typical Plant of Fall Bearing Strawberry*



# SELECTED VEGETABLE PLANTS

*This page and the next one tells you how you can have a successful vegetable garden without waiting for seeds to grow. If you buy the plants from us, ready started, you gain over a month, and have a supply of fresh, crisp, choice vegetables for your table almost before you know it. What a joy it is to step out from your kitchen door and gather from your own yard the vegetables you want, in all their original freshness and delicious goodness!*

*A few Artichokes—some choice Tomatoes; a sprig or two of Parsley—possibly a Cabbage or Cauliflower, and there's your meal. Such vegetables are not dust covered. Not dried and withered. Not stale and unappetizing. Not handled three or four or five times before they reach you. But clean—and palate-pleasing—right from your own garden to your own table.*

*You don't need a lot of ground in which to grow a home supply. A few square feet of garden is enough. Order a few plants of the varieties you prefer and you will have fresh vegetables at your command all the year round.*

*When plants like these are so easily grown—and when the cost of living is so high today—we can not understand why every house-wife does not grow her own vegetables. The cost of growing is practically nothing—and one can not buy such Vegetables as one can pick from one's own garden patch.*

## ASPARAGUS ROOTS

**PALMETTO OR CONOVER'S COLOSSAL.** The two most popular varieties of Asparagus. A little corner in your garden planted to Asparagus will give you enough for your needs. For description see Vegetable Seeds. \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

## HORSE RADISH SETS

**WILL GROW IN ANY OLD CORNER, ANYWHERE.** Can be grated fresh as wanted and far better than when bought from most vegetables stands, as a little goes a long way. 50 cents per dozen, postpaid; \$3.00 per 100.

## RHUBARB ROOTS

You ought to have a few roots of this delicious vegetable in your garden. It is not only a luscious dish—but very healthful and good for one to eat. Contrary to the opinion of some, it is not at all hard to grow. Price, 25 cents each; 12 for \$2.50.

## CABBAGE PLANTS

**EARLY FLAT DUTCH—EARLY WAKEFIELD—LATE PREMIUM FLAT DUTCH—LATE DRUMHEAD—EARLY SUMMER—EARLY ALL-HEAD—SUCCESSION—SURE HEAD.** These are the choicest summer and winter varieties. We grow nothing but the best—and ship only the strongest and hardest plants. See full description in Vegetables Seed Section. Field-grown. Ready about March or April. We can supply the above varieties of Cabbage, field-grown plants, at the uniform price of 50 cents per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.

## CAULIFLOWER PLANTS

**SNOWBALL.** Our leading variety. An extremely early large headed—snow-white Cauliflower that looks good, keeps well, tastes right. You will be delighted with the Snowball plants. For description see Vegetables Seeds Section. Early transplanted. 35 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

## EGG PLANTS

**NEW YORK LARGE IMPROVED PURPLE.** A choice variety. Easy to grow. Egg Plant is very delicious and very healthful. Pot-grown. Ready about April. Large, round, purple variety. 50 cents per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

## CELERY PLANTS

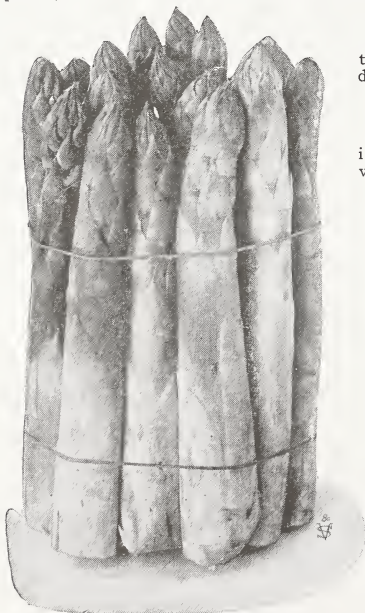
**GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING.** One of the most satisfactory varieties you can buy. Golden yellow in color with thick, crispy stalks. Tender, sweet, free from stringiness. A dozen plants will give you all the celery you will want for greens and table use. It is always fresh and delicious when picked in your own garden, just when you're ready to eat it. Pot-grown plants, 50 cents per dozen; per hundred, \$4.00.



Early Summer Cabbage.



Rhubarb.



Asparagus.

PLANT A BIG HOME GARDEN IN 1921



## EARLIEST OF ALL TOMATO

12 FOR 75c      100 FOR \$5.00

*An Extremely Early, Wonderfully Productive Variety.*  
This is such an exceptionally fine Tomato that it is deserving of special mention. *Extremely Early*—and produces heavily all season till cut down by the frost. Large in size with solid meat, smooth skin, and fine deep red color. Richly flavored and a remarkable keeper, making it specially desirable. Ready for delivery in March.

### TOMATO PLANTS

At a cost of only a few cents any small family can, with very little care and attention, raise sufficient Tomatoes for their every need. All season long a few plants will supply more than can be eaten, and will produce enough to can for winter use too. The best varieties for the table or canning: *Ponderosa, Stone, Trophy and Earlina.* Ready for delivery in March.

**POT-GROWN TOMATO PLANTS.** Ready April. Our Pot-grown Tomato Plants have a splendid reputation. We can supply all the leading varieties. 60 cents per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

#### TRANSPLANTED TOMATO PLANTS.

Ready about April. Our plants are all transplanted and the very best in every respect. We can furnish all the leading varieties and in any quantity. 20 cents per dozen; \$1.00 per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000.

### LAVENDER

The leaves are sometimes used for seasoning, but the plant is chiefly grown for its flowers, which are used in the making of perfumes. Price, 25 cents each.

### SAGE PLANTS

Sage is usually wanted when not obtainable. Two or three plants are all that are necessary to give you all the fresh and dried Sage needed 15c per plant; \$1.50 per dozen.

**SAGE, VARIEGATED**—Pretty, dwarf bushes about one foot high, with small oval leaves neatly margined yellow; very fine for edging. This is a hardly perennial, the leaves may be used for the same purposes as the common herb. Price 20c, 3 for 50c;

### THYME

Used for seasoning. 15 cents per plant; \$1.50 per dozen.

### ROSEMARY

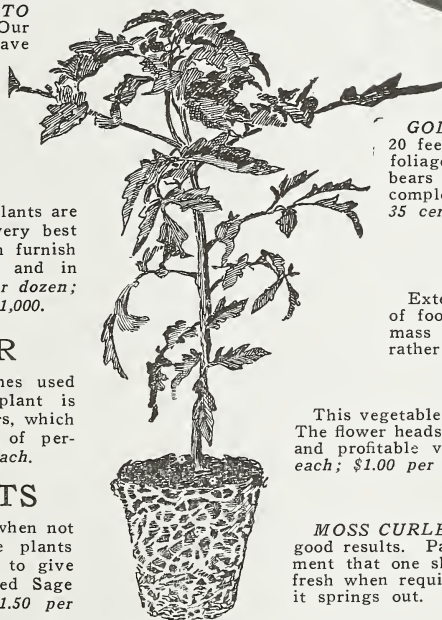
A popular herb. The aromatic leaves are used for seasoning soups, etc. Price, 25 cents each.

### TANSY

Golden-yellow flowers and beautiful sprays of fern-like foliage. Price, 20 cents each.

### CATNIP

Leaves and young shoots are used for seasoning. Also used as a mild nervine for infants. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.



Pot Grown  
Tomato Plants



Crimson  
Cushion  
Tomato

### HOP

**GOLDEN CLUSTER.** Of rapid growth, attaining a height of 20 feet if given support, with abundant ornamental, deeply lobed foliage. Golden Cluster is an exceedingly choice variety which bears large clusters of yellow-green hops in such profusion as to completely envelop the plant in late summer and autumn. Price, 35 cents each.

### SUCCULENT COLLARDS

A FORM OF CABBAGE.

Extensively grown in the South, where it furnishes an abundance of food for the table. It forms a large, loose, open head, or a mass of leaves on a tall stem. Freezing does not injure, but rather improves the quality. 50 cents per 100; \$4.00 per 1,000.

### ARTICHOKE

This vegetable is well and favorably known throughout the Southern States. The flower heads are used green, cooked similar to asparagus, it is a desirable and profitable vegetable, and deserves wider cultivation. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

### PARSLEY PLANTS

**MOSS CURLED.** A compact, finely curved variety that never fails to give good results. Parsley is so generally used as a flavoring and as a garnishment that one should have it handy in the garden where it can be picked fresh when required. Grows like weeds. The faster you pick it the faster it springs out. Per clump, 10 cents.

### MINT ROOTS

**MINT IS ONE OF THE HARDEST THINGS TO FIND IN MOST STORES.** A few roots will supply your wants for mint sauce for a whole year; takes up so little room that every garden should contain some. 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

### PEPPER PLANTS

*CHINESE GIANT, SWEET SPANISH, CHILI AND BELL.*

A dozen plants are more than enough to supply the "pepper" needs of two or three families. Ready for delivery in March or April. Grown in pots. 60 cents per dozen; \$4.00 per 100; out of hotbeds, 25 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

### BRUSSELS SPROUTS

This interesting plant bears a stalk perhaps two feet high, closely covered with little buds or sprouts, one to two inches in diameter, which resemble tiny heads of cabbage. These are tender and delicious when creamed the same as cabbage. Price, 25 cents per dozen; 75 cents for 50; \$1.25 per 100.

MAKE A REAL GARDEN IN 1921





## SUPERIOR VEGETABLE SEED

# STANDARD VEGETABLE SEEDS

Under this heading we offer standard varieties of vegetables. All our seeds are put up in liberal packets, with full cultural directions upon each. We pay the postage on all seeds ordered by the packet, ounce, quarter-pound, half-pound and pounds, and we guarantee safe delivery in all cases.

**As to Our Packets of Seed.** The average packet selling at 5 cents postpaid is too small. We, therefore, prefer to put up a more liberal quantity and sell at 10 cents. This is very much more satisfactory, both to you and to us. All seedmen have adopted the rule of selling all seed by the pound. A quart of Beans or Peas is equal to about two pounds.

## BEANS, DWARF, BUSH OR SNAP

Packet, 15 cents; one-half pound, 25 cents; 1 pound, 40 cents

**VESTAL'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD.** Very early, pods average 6 inches long, round, thick and meaty, stringless.

**VESTAL'S EARLY RED VALENTINE.** Unexcelled for snaps. Flesh crisp and tender, long, round green pods.

**EMERALD BEAUTY.** Has flat green pods. Prolific and continuous bearer, delicious flavor and tender.

**IMPROVED PERFECTION GOLDEN WAX.** The pods are golden yellow, rich butter flavor, very brittle, solid flesh.

**DAVIS KIDNEY WAX.** Handsome long flat golden wax, luscious flavor and excellent shipper. Very fine.

## BEANS, POLE OR RUNNING

Packet, 15 cts.; one-half pound, 25 cts.; 1 pound, 40 cts.

**KENTUCKY WONDER or OLD HOMESTEAD.** Pods 7 to 9 inches long, very meaty and stringless, and a continuous bearer.

**WHITE CREASEBACK.** Pods grow in clusters, 5 to 6 inches long, perfectly round. Dry seeds are pure white and excellent for winter use.

**LAZY WIFE'S.** Pods are medium dark green, broad and 4 to 6 inches long, stringless and tender.

**CUT SHORT or CORN HILL.** Excellent for planting in hills of corn. Round slender pods, beans white, flecked with red. Very prolific and good.

## LIMA BEANS

Packet, 15 cts.; one-half pound, 25 cts.; 1 pound, 40 cts.

**EARLY LEVIATHAN (Pole Bean).** Excellent Pole Lima, 4 to 5 large beans in pod, strong grower and sure crop.

**KING OF THE GARDEN (Pole or Climbing).** A strong grower with large pods, 4 to 5 beans in pod, excellent flavor. One of the finest Pole Lima Beans.

**CAROLINA or SMALL SEEDED LIMA.** These grow quickly, mature early and very prolific. Pole Lima throughout season.

**BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH LIMA.** Beans are very prolific, pods 5 to 6 inches long, delightful flavor.

**FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA.** Beans are very plump, pods borne in clusters, 4 to 5 inches long, very tender.

## BEETS

**DETROIT DARK RED.** Dark blood red, very smooth and round. One of the best for home and market use.

**BRUSSELS SPROUTS.** Stalks 2 ft. high, closely covered with little buds or sprouts, resembling small cabbages. Price, 10 cents packet; ounce, 30 cents; one-fourth pound, 80 cents.

## CUCUMBERS

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; one-fourth pound, 50 cents

**ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE.** Very early, color deep green. The trucker's favorite.

**KLONDIKE.** Long green, very early. Also excellent for pickling.

**CUMBERLAND.** Very straight smooth fruit of the White Spine type. Fine for pickling.





## CORN, SWEET OR SUGAR

Packet, 15 cents; one-half pound, 25 cents; 1 pound, 40 cents  
**CALIFORNIA GOLDEN COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.** Ears of good size, small cob, kernals golden yellow, very sweet and tender.

**HOWLING MOB.** Largest early Sweet Corn in existence, producing 2 large cobs to the stock.

**PREMO.** Very tender and sweet; stalks grow 5 ft.  
**COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.** Excellent for private family, cob is small, early, of good size, very sweet and tender. Kernals white.

**STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.** Tender and sugary, remaining a long time in a fresh condition.

**GOLDEN BANTAM.** Dwarf grower, early Sweet Corn; yellow kernals, delicious flavor.

## CAULIFLOWER

Packet, 25 cents; one-half ounce, \$1.00; ounce, \$3.50  
**EARLY SNOWBALL.** Handsome pure snow-white heads, 8 to 10 inches across.

## CABBAGE SEED

Packet, 10 cents; 60 cents ounce; one-half pound, \$2.00; pound, \$2.00

**EXTRA EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.** Heads medium size, pyramidal shaped, firm and solid; good quality.

**ALL HEAD EARLY.** Heads grow compact, free from spreading, very early.

**EARLY SUMMER.** A model Cabbage for size, form and earliness. Heads just after Wakefield.

**SURE-HEAD.** Large flat round heads, very firm and uniform. Weighs 10 to 15 lbs. each.

**LATE FLAT DUTCH.** Excellent keeper. Large broad flat heads, solid and of good quality.

**RED DANISH STONEHEAD.** Deep purplish red. Heads perfectly round and extremely solid.

**LARGE JERSEY OR CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD.** Very popular with Southern gardeners. Has uniform heads larger than Wakefield, matures a few days later.

**DRUMHEAD SAVOY.** The largest hearing Savoy, rich flavor of Cauliflower, with crinkled leaves.

## COLLARDS

Packet, 10 cents; 1 ounce, 30 cents

**GEORGIA SOUTHERN or CREOLE.** Too well known for description, forms open heads with loose leaves on tall stem.

## CHINESE OR CELERY CABBAGE

Price, 10 cents per packet

Full grown plant somewhat resembles Cos Lettuce. It has mild flavor and may be eaten raw or as a salad or cooked. It does not form a Cabbage head. Leaves grow open and called by Chinese gardeners Pe-Tsia or Cut Cabbage.

## POP CORN

Packet, 15 cents; pound, 50 cents

**QUEEN'S GOLDEN.** Stalks grow 6 ft., with 2 to 3 ears. Kernals yellow.

**WHITE RICE.** Grains are sharply pointed. Excellent for popping. Kernals white.

## CARROTS

Packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 25 cts.; one-fourth pound, 85 cts.

**FRENCH FORCING.** Early small round variety.

**EARLY SCARLET SHORT HORN.** Deep orange, short and stocky, fine flavor.

**OXHEART.** Early, deep orange color, thick variety of fine quality.

**LONG ORANGE.** Best late variety, fine keeper and retains its bright orange color during the winter.

## CELERY

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; one-fourth lb. 85 cents

**GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING.** Dwarf compact growth, very tender and creamy white.

**WHITE PLUME.** A good early white variety, very tender and delicately flavored.

## EGG PLANT

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 60 cents; one-fourth pound, \$2.00

**BLACK BEAUTY.** Fruit large dark purple. Extra early.

**IMPROVED LARGE PURPLE.** Fruit of large size, smooth deep purple.

## PARSNIPS

Packet 10 cts., oz. 30 cts., one-fourth lb. \$1.00, 1 lb. \$3.00

**IMPROVED HOLLOW CROWN.** Roots tender and good and sweet. Roots long and good yield.

**IMPROVED GUERNSEY.** Larger than Hollow Crown, not so long. Very prolific and tender.

## LETTUCE



California Cream  
Butter Lettuce

Price, 5 cts. packet, 20 cts. oz., one-fourth lb. 50 cts., lb. \$1.75  
**BIG BOSTON.** Heads extra large, very large, bright green leaves, crisp and tender.

**ALL SEASONS.** Large solid heads, outer leaves light green, inner ones golden color.

**HANSON.** Heads very solid and beautifully blanching, crisp, mild and tender.

**CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER.** One of the best for early spring and fall planting. Heads large, crisp and fine flavor, blanches to golden color.

**WAYAHEAD.** Very early, sure heading, large and solid. Outer leaves light green to yellow. Stands hot suns well.

**MAY KING.** Make large compact heads, edges of outer leaves have brownish tinge.

**ICEBERG.** Large curly leaves, with handsome heads reddish tinged leaves on outside. Fine for forcing or garden culture.

## MUSTARD

Packet, 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; one-fourth lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25  
**SOUTHERN CURLED.** The best for greens and most popular mustard in the South.

**FORDHOOK FANCY CURLED.** Curled like Ostrich Plume, leaves dark green. Splendid flavor and can be cooked any time during the year like Spinach.

## OKRA

Pkt. 10 cts., oz. 15 cts., one-fourth lb. 40 cts., 1 lb., \$1.25  
**WHITE CREOLE.** Pods perfectly round, white velvety appearance, very tender.

**LONG GREEN POD.** Long slender pods, very productive, good keeper and very tender.

## PEAS

Packet, 15 cents; pound, 40 cents  
 (Listed in their order of maturing)

**ALASKA.** Extra early well filled pods, smooth and prolific.

**GRADUS.** Early wrinkled Pea, very hardy, vines grow two and one-half feet high, pods well filled.

**NOTT'S EXCELSIOR.** Excellent dwarf wrinkled early Pea; fine flavor.

**THOMAS LAXTON.** Early strong grower, 3 ft., smooth, flavor fine and unsurpassed.

**ADVANCER.** A green wrinkled Pea, two and one-half feet high, well filled pods, excellent flavor.

**EVERBEARING.** Grows about 20 inches high, pods of good length, very large, wrinkled.

**IMPROVED STRATEGEM.** Dwarf, requires no sticking. Prolific bearer, quality good.

**CHAMPION OF ENGLAND.** Height 3 to 4 feet, wrinkled Pea. One of the best and richest flavored Peas grown.

**TELEPHONE.** Three to four feet high, tall wrinkled Peas, pods large and well filled. Good.

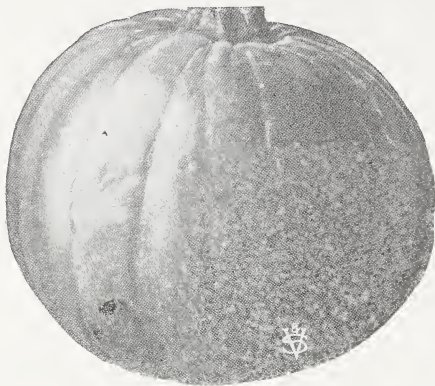
**GIANT PODDED SUGAR PEAS.** Sweet and tender, can be cooked pods and all. Grows about 30 inches high, very productive.

## PARSLEY

Packet 10 cts., oz. 20 cts., one-fourth lb. 50 cts., 1 lb. \$1.50

**CHAMPION MOSS CURLED.** Fine compact grower, beautifully curled.





Mammoth Prize Pumpkin

## PEPPERS

Price, 10 cents per packet; ounce, 75 cents

**PIMENTO.** Thickest flesh of all Peppers. Meat solid and sweet. Fine for canning or salads. When ripe, beautiful scarlet. Conical shaped.

**CHINESE GIANT.** Mild flavor, and one of the largest Mango Peppers. Prolific. **SWEET MOUNTAIN.** Very thin skinned, sweet and mild flavored. Much used for stuffed pickles.

**LARGE BELL OR BULL NOSE.** Large bright red, mild flavor, very popular.

**RUBY KING.** Good variety for family use; very large and mild flavor. Ruby red.

**RED CAYENNE.** Long slim pods, very hot and pungent, bright red when ripe.

## PUMPKINS

Packet, 10 cts.; ounce, 20 cts.; one-fourth pound, 50 cts.; 1 pound, \$1.75

**LARGE CHEESE.** Excellent field variety, very popular and productive, yellow.

**WINTER QUEEN OR WINTER LUXURY.** Good winter keeper, in size 9 to 10 inches in diameter. Fine for pies.

**SUGAR PIE PUMPKIN.** Fruit is small, solid sweet sugary flavor.

**KING OF MAMMOTH.** Largest variety grown, often 200 lbs. Fine flavor.

## RUTABAGAS OR SWEDES

Price, 10 cts. packet; ounce, 20 cts.; one-fourth pound, 60 cts.; 1 pound, \$2.25

**GOLDEN HEART RUTABAGA.** Flesh yellow, sweet and well flavored.

**LARGE WHITE RUTABAGA.** Excellent for table or stock. Flesh white, sweet and rich.

## RADISHES

Packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 15 cts.; one-fourth pound, 50 cents

**WHITE TIPPED SCARLET TURNIP.** Bright scarlet with white tips, shape round.

**EARLY ROUND DARK RED.** Is a rich scarlet color, very crisp and tender.

**LONG BRIGHT SCARLET.** Long bright scarlet, white tipped.

**SCARLET GLOBE.** Crisp, tender and of delicious flavor.

**EARLY SNOWBALL.** Round, very crisp and extremely tender; white or snow.

**FRENCH BREAKFAST.** Very mild and tender, round scarlet tipped with white.

**ROSE CHINA WINTER.** Best for winter use. Bright scarlet, very crisp.

**CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE (Winter Radish).** White in color, flesh firm.

**ICICLE.** Finest long white. Very crisp and tender, extra early.

## SQUASH

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; one-fourth pound, 50 cents

**WHITE BUSH SCALLOP, PATTYPAN.** Large pure white, edged scalloped.

**YELLOW BUSH SCALLOP.** Meat deep yellow, flat variety with scalloped edge.

**GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK.** Long round Squash with crookneck stem.

**GOLDEN HUBBARD (Fall or Winter Squash).** Flesh deep yellow. Very dry and excellent flavor. Fine for pies.

**HUBBARD (Fall or Winter Squash).** Skin dark green, excellent flavor.

**IMPROVED CUSHAW.** Skin mottled green with stripes. Yellow flesh and very solid.

**WINTER CROOKNECK.** A favorite late keeper. Yellow skin, sweet and fine grained.

## TOMATO

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 50 cents

**MY MARYLAND.** Extra large and early. Very prolific.

**PONDEROSA.** Immense size, frequently weighing two pounds.

**ACME.** Old standard variety, round, smooth, good size, solid.

**DWARF STONE.** Very smooth, ripens evenly, needs no staking.

**NEW GLOBE.** Ball shaped, heavy bearer, ideal for home gardens.

**EARLIANA.** The earliest of all, bright red, smooth and uniform in size.

**JOHN BAER.** The largest, extra early sort, attractive in color. Round and firm.

**CRIMSON CUSHION.** Called Beefsteak Tomato for its large round and regular size.

## TURNIPS

Price, 5 cts. packet; 15 cts. ounce; one-fourth lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25

**YELLOW GLOBE.** Flesh yellow and firm, large size; excellent for stock or table.

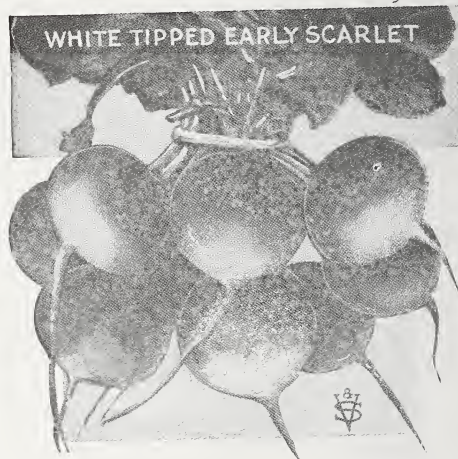
**PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE.** White globed shaped, with purple top. Splendid.

**EARLY PURPLE TOP.** Strapped leaved. Purple top, white, globe, has few leaves.

**EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH.** An early white variety. Mild flavor.

**COW HORN OR LONG WHITE.** Pure white, carrot-like form. Delicate and well flavored.

**SEVEN TOP.** Cultivated for greens extensively in the South. Very hadry.



## WATERMELON

Packet 10 cts., oz. 15 cts., one-fourth lb. 40 cts., lb. \$1.25

**KLECKLEY SWEET.** Melons large oblong, dark green skin, bright scarlet flesh.

**FLORIDA FAVORITE.** Oblong in shape. Flesh clear crimson. Striped light and dark green.

**GEORGIA RATTLESNAKE.** Beautifully mottled. Flesh scarlet, thin rind, very sweet.

**DUKE JONES.** Early round and fine flavor. Extra large and heavy producer.

**JUMBO.** Average weight, 40 to 60 lbs. Oblong shape, flesh deep red, fine flavor.

**HALBERT HONEY.** Long dark green melon, fruit deep red meat, fine flavor.

**SWEETHEART.** First class shipper. Deep rich red, crisp and delicious.

**TOM WATSON.** A large oblong melon, skin dark green, thin rind, flesh bright red and very sweet.

## MUSKMELON

Price, 10 cts packet; ounce, 20 cts.; one-fourth lb. 50 cts.

**DELICIOUS GOLD LINED.** Same size as Rocky Ford. The flesh is green with golden tint to the seed cavity. Remarkably sweet and juicy.

## SPINACH

Price, 10 cts. per packet; ounce, 15 cts.

**VICTORIA.** Dark green leaves. Excellent for family use.

**BLOOMSDALE, ROUND SEEDED SAVOY.** Heavy producer, curled leaves. Hardest of all.



# VESTAL'S RELIABLE FLOWER SEEDS

In the following pages is offered a carefully chosen list of *Flower Seeds*, in which no want of the flower garden has been neglected, the numerous varieties insuring a wide range of color, form, height, habit and season, thus permitting selection for any and every ornamental purpose.

PLEASE USE THE ORDER SHEET that is enclosed in catalogue; by so doing, the filling of orders is speeded, and the chance of errors lessened. The complete index will contribute to an easy and rapid selection of seeds wanted.

## Giant-Flowered Antirrhinum

(Snap Dragon)

This old favorite is one of the most beautiful and useful border plants of our gardens. Its very graceful flowers are borne on long stems and in the greatest diversity of colors. The spikes of flowers are most brilliant and showy.

**QUEEN VICTORIA.** Purest white. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**BLACK PRINCE.** Dark crimson. Price, per packet, 10c.

**LUTEUM.** Sulphur yellow. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**ROSEUM.** Brilliant pink. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**FIRE KING.** Orange and scarlet. Price, per packet, 10c.

**VENUS.** Delicate pink. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

**GIANT FLOWERED MIXED.** A mixture of the newest varieties, having flower spikes nearly a foot long of most brilliant colors. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

## ALLEGHENY VINE

**ADLUMIA CIRRHOSA.** A graceful hardy climber; the feathery foliage closely resembles that of the Maiden Hair Fern, the flowers are tube-shaped, flesh colored and completely cover the plant. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

Jos. W. Vestal & Son,  
Little Rock, Arkansas.

Sirs: I want to thank you for the nice plants you sent. I certainly appreciate them and will order from you later. These plants reached me in fine condition and are so much larger than the other lot. The first lot all died but such a few plants. Thanking you again for plants.

Respectfully,  
L. G., Wheeler, Miss.

## AMARANTHUS

**JOSEPH'S COAT.** Foliage red, green and yellow. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## SWEET ALYSSUM

One of the sweet-scented flowers that should always be in every garden. An easily grown annual; fine for beds, edgings or for cutting. In bloom all summer and through the greater part of fall.

**LITTLE GEM.** They soon become one mass of white, remaining in full bloom from spring to fall. Hardy annual. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**SWEET ALYSSUM.** Very fragrant; white. Hardy annual. Grows one-half foot high. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## ASTERS

**GIANT CHRYSANTHEMUM FLOWERED.** We offer four of the most distinct colors separate, also choicest mixed. Pure white, light blue, dark blue, rose. Price, per packet, 10 cents; three packets for 25 cents; six packets for 45 cents. Mixed colors, including all of the above and many other colors. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**SEMPLE'S BRANCHING.** They bloom two to three weeks later than most sorts. We offer them in four separate colors. Pure white, crimson, lavender, bright pink; also choicest mixed. Price, per packet, 10 cents each; three packets for 25 cents; six packets for 45 cents.

**LAVENDER GEM.** One of the most charming sorts. The flowers are of a true lavender shade and the petals are gracefully curled and twisted, and the blooms are borne on long, firm stems. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

**PEERLESS PINK.** The flowers are enormous, globular in shape, many five inches across, of a most delightful and pleasing rich, shell pink. First flowers appear about the middle of August, but the plant is at its zenith about four weeks later. Per packet, 15 cents.

**PURITY.** Double flowers of a glistening pure white; similar to Daybreak in form and habit. Price, per packet, 10 cents.





## BALSAM

(Lady Slipper)

**THE ROYAL BALSAMS.** These are a new strain of Balsams of unsurpassed quality. Strong branching growth, and dense masses of bloom.

**ROYAL BALSAM ("The King").** Intense glowing scarlet, very fine. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**ROYAL BALSAM ("The Queen").** Pure, bright, satiny-rose, an exquisite shade of rich pink. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**ROSE-FLOWERED BALSAMS.** Improved Double Rose-Flowered Mixed. Flowers of this variety are very perfect in shape, much like Roses. Of extra size and extremely double; very fine. In color including purple, bright red, flesh color, pure white, yellow, lilac, crimson, etc. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**CARNATION STRIPED BALSAMS.** Double flowers in white, striped with crimson, violet, pink and red. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**CAMELLIA-FLOWERED SPOTTEL BALSAMS.** Improved Double Camellia-Flowered Mixed. This is an especially popular variety, having extra double, large-sized flowers and a great diversity of color, having white blotches or spots. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**NEW WHITE DEFIANCE.** Without doubt the finest perfect double pure white Balsam in cultivation. Absolutely pure white. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

## BALLOON VINE (*Cardiospermum*)

A rapid growing plant. Succeeds best in light soil and warm situation. Flowers white. Half hardy annual. Five feet. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## SCARLET RUNNER

One of the best climbers known. As easy to grow as a garden bean. Vines will run from fifteen to twenty feet in a season with a good dark green foliage and long branches of brilliant scarlet flowers shaped like pea blossoms. A most showy bloomer, as the scarlet flowers are succeeded by dark purple seed pods. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## BALSAM PEAR

**MONORDICA CHARANTIA.** The same as Balsam Apple in every particular except the fruits, which are six inches and over in length and beautifully colored. Fine medicinally. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

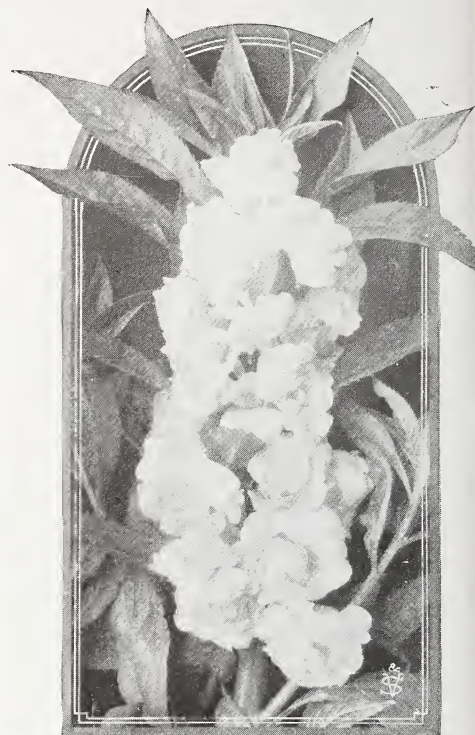
## THE CARDINAL CLIMBER

*A Splendid New Vine*

A beautiful annual climber, the result of a cross between the Cypress vine and Scarlet Star Ipomea, which is far handsomer than either, with beautiful, deeply lacinated foliage and literally covered with a blaze of circular fiery cardinal-red flowers from mid-July till frost. Price, 25 cents per packet.



Cardinal Climber



Double Balsam

## BRYONOPSIS LACINIOSA

A beautiful annual climber species, with ivy-like pale green foliage and showy fruit—first green striped white, turning when ripe to bright scarlet striped white. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## BALSAM APPLE

Round, apple-shaped fruit, with very fine glossy green foliage. Many consider the Balsam Apple to be a prettier climber than the Balsam Pear. Price, 5 cents per packet.

## BROWALLIA

One of our favorite bedding plants, producing beautiful flowers during the summer and autumn months. Large sky-blue flowers. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## CASTOR OIL BEANS (*Ricinus*)

**MIXED.** All sorts. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## CARNATIONS

*Perpetual-Flowering Marguerites*

**GIANT MARGUERITE CARNATION ("Snowflake").** A new imported pure white variety; large flowers; very fragrant; excellent for cemetery planting. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**GIANT MARGUERITE CARNATION (Red).** A fine rich red, very double and very fragrant. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**GIANT MARGUERITE CARNATION (Pink).** An unusual color, very fine; a novelty. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**GIANT MARGUERITE CARNATION (Mixed).** A fine mixture of red, rose pink, white and variegated. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER—**One packet each of the three Marguerite Carnations for 25 cents.

JOS. W. VESTAL, Little Rock, Ark.

Gentlemen: The flowers were received in beautiful condition, delighted with lovely strong pot plants. I lost some of them by freeze during the past few days. It will give me pleasure to place another order.

March 11th, 1920.

Mrs. W. C., Mansfield, La.



## COSMOS



Cosmos

An autumn flowering plant of rapid growth, making large bushes five feet high. For cut flowers it has no equal, its magnificent blossoms upon long graceful stems, and with the dainty foliage, keeping a long time in water.

**MAMMOTH PERFECTION.** *White.* This strain produces largest flowers, perfectly white, beautifully shaped and in great masses. Fine for cutting. *Price, per packet, 10 cents.*

**MAMMOTH PERFECTION** *Pink.* The largest flowers in rose-pink come from this seed. Color, pure and bright—very fine. *Price, per packet, 10 cents.*

**NEW MAMMOTH PERFECTION.** *Mixed.* Flowers of unusual size in all shades of pink, crimson and white. Plants branch very freely, growing about six feet high, and are a mass of bloom above the fine green foliage. *Price, per packet, 10 cents.*

**LADY LENOX.** One of the very finest, pale, rosy-pink; magnificent for cutting. Extra large flowers. *Per packet, 20 cents.*

**WHITE LADY LENOX.** The giant white of the Cosmos. Flowers pure white and nearly three times larger than the ordinary Cosmos. Robust grower attaining a height of six feet. *Price, per packet, 20 cents.*

### QUICK GROWING VINE COLLECTION

*Seven Packets for 25 cents*

**ORNAMENTAL GOURDS, SMALL VARIETIES.** Children's favorite. Rapid climbers, small, brilliant colored fruit.

**BALSAM APPLE.** A quick growing climber, with ornamental foliage and curious yellow fruits.

**TRUE WHITE MOONFLOWER.** Rapid growing annual climbing vines. Large white flowers.

**COBEA SCANDENS.** A fine, rapid growing climber, with handsome, large bell-shaped flowers.

**JAPANESE VARIEGATED HOP.** Leaves variegated green and white.

**HEAVENLY BLUE MOONFLOWERS.** A very popular vine for covering large spaces.

**BALLOON VINE.** A rapid climber; seed vessels look like miniature balloons.

**A SUITABLE VINE FOR EVERY PURPOSE. TRY THIS FINE, LARGE COLLECTION.**

## CANNAS

The Canna is one of our most ornamental plants, and is of very easy culture. Soak seed in warm water for a day or two before planting. Plant seed one-half inch deep, one-inch apart, in shallow boxes of rich soil early in spring; place in a warm, sunny window. When plants show two leaves transplant to pots, and do not set out till nights are quite warm.

As a bedding plant there is nothing more beautiful than the Canna, and no plant gives better satisfaction than this stately flower with its graceful foliage and beautiful blooms.

**EXTRA FINE MIXED.** This mixture consists of best seed of named sorts in all colors, scarlet, pink, yellow and variegated. *Price, per packet, 10 cents.*

## DIANTHUS Or Sweet Clove Pinks

Dianthus, or Sweet Pinks, are now among the most popular flowers cultivated, because the seed may be sown outdoors very early in the spring, and in a few weeks the plants will be a mass of sweet-scented blooms.

*Single Annual Sweet Clove Pinks*

**DIANTHUS NOBILIS, ROYAL PINKS.** Selected and improved varieties of the popular single-flowering Japan Pink, producing flowers nearly four inches across, undulated and twisted, and beautifully fringed or lacinated, the colors vary from white to dark red. *Price, per packet, 10 cents.*

*Double Annual Sweet Clove Pinks*

**DOUBLE SNOWBALL.** A beautiful variety with large pure white, double flowers, very full and deeply fringed, like fine carnations. *Price, 5 cents per packet.*

**DOUBLE IMPERIAL PINK.** Very double flowers, full and finely formed; a good range of colors, very bright and showy. *Price, 5 cents per packet.*

**DOUBLE FIRE BALL.** A beautiful double sort with fine flowers in rich shades of scarlet, running to crimson; striking in color. *Price, per packet, 5 cents.*

**NEW DOUBLE FRINGED PINK "EXCELSIS"** (*Double Dianthus Liciniatus Mirabilis*). A new and double-flowering Japanese Annual Pink. *Price, per packet, 10 cents.*

**NEW DOUBLE ANNUAL PINK, COUNT KERCHOVE.** This splendid new double annual Diadem Pink is sure to please. It produces magnificent large flowers in great profusion, of the richest glowing color. The petals are dark blood red, marked with a velvety-black spot. An exquisite flower for cutting. *Price, per packet, 15 cents.*

## CANDYTUFT

Dwarf annuals, flowering profusely throughout the whole season. An excellent edging for beds or borders. The plants are covered with blossoms, and are of the easiest culture. Sow in the spring as soon as the soil can be properly worked.

**ROSE CARDINAL.** A new Candytuft; beautiful clear bright rose; flower heads unusually large. *Per packet, 5 cents.*

**DARK CRIMSON.** The richest dark shade; fine for borders or cutting. *Price, per packet, 5 cents.*

**EMPRESS.** Grows large trusses of pure white flowers; abundant bloomer; fine for cemetery use. *Per packet, 5 cents.*

**MIXED VARIETIES.** Including all colors known in Candytuft. *Per packet, 5 cents.*



Candytuft Empress



## CYPRESS VINE

A slender climber of quick growth and finely cut leaves and an abundance of slender, star-shaped flowers in brilliant colors. Soak the seed in warm water, and plant when the leaves are starting out on the trees.

**SCARLET.** Per packet, 5 cents.

**WHITE.** Pure white. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**MIXED.** Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## CELOSIA

(Cockscomb)

**PRIDE OF CASTLE GOULD.** Plants grow compact and pyramidal and produce immense flower heads, resembling willow plumes in many remarkable shades. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

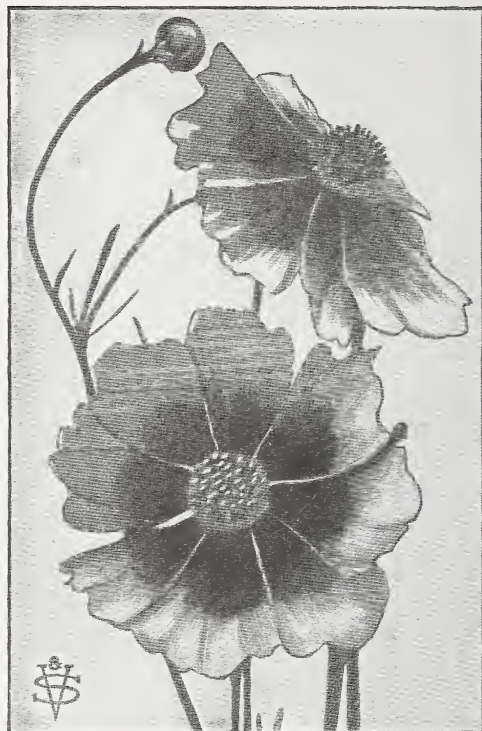
**THE CHINESE WOOLFLOWER (Celosia Childsi).** Plants grow two to three feet high, the bloom starting early with a central head, round and globular, which often reaches the immense size of two feet in circumference. Scores of branches are thrown out, each bearing a ball of scarlet wool. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS ANNUAL

**NORTHERN STAR (New Annual Chrysanthemums).** The radiant white of petals, passing toward the center into a soft yellow, shows up strikingly against the bold black disk, and there is no doubt that this new Chrysanthemum will prove a real treasure to growers of flowers for cutting. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

**EVENING STAR (Annual Golden Marguerite).** Pure golden-yellow; in general appearance resembles the yellow Paris Daisy. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**BRIDAL ROSE (New Annual Chrysanthemum).** Flowers like large double Daisies and are massed on the plants; fine for cut flowers. One of the best bedding plants yet introduced. Price, per packet, 10 cents.



## Calliopsis or Coreopsis

**GOLDEN WAVE.** A very showy sort with large yellow flowers, with dark brown centers. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA.** Large golden yellow. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## BURBANK'S SHASTA DAISY

In growth the plants are as strong as a common field Daisy—very tall—well branched, with fine-cut foliage and huge white flowers, borne in profusion on long, stiff stems. The flowers are pure white with gold center; petals very long and center soft and velvety. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

**GOLDEN ORANGE DAISY.** An extremely showy annual. 12 to 15 inches high and very profuse in flowering. Should be planted in a sunny situation; a great favorite everywhere. Price, per packet, 20 cents.

## HOLLYHOCKS

These are old-time favorites; beautiful for a background, lawn groups or for screens.

**FINE DOUBLE.** A percentage flower the first season from seed sown the previous fall; 5 to 8 feet. Bright red, maroon, bright rose, salmon, salmon-rose, scarlet, white, yellow and mixed.

**ALLEGHENY MAMMOTH FRINGED.** Very large, loosely formed, semi-double flowers, finely fringed. Early-sown seed will flower the first season.

Price, 20 cents per packet; 3 for 50 cents.

## Euphorbia Marginata or "Snow-on-the-Mountain"

This native annual is quite popular as a garden plant on account of its showy appearance and ease of culture in almost any soil—even the poorest—if in a sunny location. It is of rank branching growth about two feet high. The foliage of light green being broadly margined with silvery white, giving the effect—in miniature—of "Snow-on-the-Mountain." Price, 10 cents per packet.

Snow on the Mountain





*Mignonette Red Goliath*

## FOUR O'CLOCK

(*Marvel of Peru*)

Beautiful summer-blooming annuals of bushy habit, two feet high, each plant bearing throughout the summer hundreds of large flowers of white, yellow, crimson and striped.

**MIXED COLORS.** Price, per packet, 5 cents.

## GAILLARDIA

(*Blanket Flower*)

Very showy free-flowering plants that are quite hardy and are very easily raised from seed. The flowers are of two types, double, made of small florets, and single, which are of large daisy form. Sow seed early in spring in shallow drills and thin out.

**GAILLARDIA PICTA LORENZIANA.** Double flowers, in the gayest colors. Flower heads are round and beautifully formed, maroon tipped with yellow and yellow and crimson combinations. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA SINGLE.** A mixture of the finest single varieties grown, many of them having beautifully marked petals in most brilliant colors. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**GAILLARDIA, COPPER-RED, LARGE-FLOWERED.** This perennial Gaillardia is remarkable for the elegance and largeness of its blooms and for the brilliancy of its uniform coppery red color, toning down to a lighter shade near the point of the petals. The flowers are borne on long stems. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

## MIGNONETTE

**RED GOLIATH.** One of the finest, being of strong growth, healthy and deep-rooting. The average spikes of flowers are immense, measuring six to eight inches long by two and one-half inches in diameter, and are compactly filled with giant florets, measuring one-half inch across and packed full, even in the center, with anthers, or three times as many as the older Mignonettes contain, consequently this variety is correctly called a double Mignonette. The color of the florets—fire-red—is strengthened on account of the density of the florets and spikes, thus presenting almost solid columns of brilliant red, effectively contrasted against the healthy, rich green foliage. The fragrance is delightfully rich and powerful. For cutting it is perfection, remaining fresh for 8 to 10 days in water. Price, 15 cents per packet.

**NEW GIANT WHITE MIGNONETTE, WHITE PEARL.** This variety is of strong, robust growth, producing in great abundance large conical heads of pure white flowers. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**SWEET MIGNONETTE.** The good old-fashioned sweet Mignonette. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**MIGNONETTE MATCHET.** Stout flower stalks, bearing massive spikes of deliciously scented red flowers. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

## DELPHINIUM

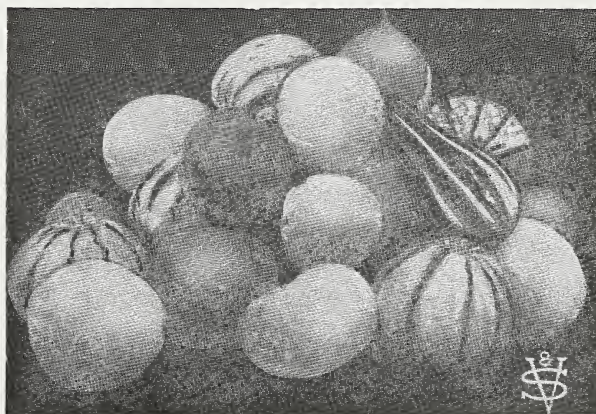
(*Annual Larkspur*)

A quick-growing, free-flowering annual, with fine feathery foliage and tall spikes of odd-shaped flowers in purple, blue, pink, rose and white. Sow seed quite early in the spring and thin out.

**CANDELAZURUM MIXED.** The plants are dwarf and compact and flower in all shades of purple, blue, maroon, pink and rose. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**GIANT HYACINTH FLOWERED.** Mixed, all colors. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**DOUBLE TALL STOCK FLOWERED.** Spikes of double flowers eighteen inches long; very beautiful. Several of the brightest and best colors. Price, per packet, 10 cents.



## ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

Fine climbers, and especially interesting for children to plant.  
**NEST EGG.** Oval white fruit like an egg. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**DISH RAG OR SPONGE GOURD (Chinese Luffa).** Yellow flowers followed by long green fruits, which form inside a tough, fibrous, sponge-like mass, which when seeds and shell are removed, is popular for bathing. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**SMALL VARIETIES, MIXED.** Gooseberry, apple, lemon, pear-shaped, etc. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**LARGE VARIETIES, MIXED.** Dipper, sugar trough, club, bottle, etc. Price, per packet, 5 cents.



## VESTAL'S BRILLIANT NASTURTIIUMS

**TALL OR CLIMBING NASTURTIUM.** Price, per packet, 10 cents; per ounce, 30 cents.

**BUTTERFLY.** Of a clear lemon-yellow, marked on lower petals with a blotch of rich terra cotta red.

**CHAMELON.** Flowers of various colors. On the same plant.

**CAPRICE.** Beautifully mottled and blotched flowers, large and brilliant.

**DARK CRIMSON.** Deep velvety-red, brown and brownish crimson.

**FLAMMEUM.** A heavy rich scarlet flower with brown markings.

**FASHION.** A pure ecru, overlaid with a deep veining of old rose.

**RED SPUR.** Some are deep orange, spotted with blood red.

**KING THEODORE.** The deepest crimson variety.

**MIDNIGHT.** Dark green foliage. Flowers brownish red. Ounce, 20 cents.

**MOON LIGHT.** Pale straw-colored flowers.

**SUNLIGHT.** Beautiful yellow. Enormous flowers. Ounce, 15 cents.

**TWILIGHT.** Salmon, suffused with rose. Ounce, 20 cents.

**SALMON QUEEN.** A rich, but soft velvety shade of salmon.

### NEW GIANT-FLOWERED TALL

This mixture contains all the varieties named of giant flowered Nasturtiums, besides a number of new varieties not named or described. For size of flowers and magnificence of color, nothing can surpass these. This mixture is absolutely unequaled. Price, 10 cents per packet; 25 cents per ounce.

### DWARF OR TOM THUMB NASTURTIIUMS

Price, per packet, 10 cents; per ounce, 30 cents.

**KING.** Dark foliage and flowers of a rich velvety crimson.

**NEW DWARF GOLDEN MIDNIGHT.** The contrast between the clear golden foliage and extremely dark flowers is most remarkable.

**NEW FRENCH CHAMELON.** Flowers of the most diversified colorings and many brilliant markings on a single plant.

**CARMINE KING.** Dark foliage, rich velvety carmine flowers.

**PRINCE HENRY.** Straw yellow, heavily suffused with rose.

**PEARL.** Clear lemon yellow shading to faint primrose.

### SPECIAL MIXTURE OF DWARF NASTURTIIUMS

This mixture contains many different varieties of dwarf, or "Tom Thumb" Nasturtiums. Both this mixture and the "Special Mixture" of Tall Nasturtiums include varieties having blooms of a velvety texture new to the species, and some showing odd colors heretofore unknown. Price, per packet, 10 cents; per ounce, 25 cents.

### PETUNIAS

**DOUBLE PETUNIAS.** Seed of the double varieties of Petunias is very hard to obtain. We have secured some fine imported seed which will produce a large percentage of double flowers of the largest varieties in bright colors and tints. Price, per packet, 25 cents.



Fringed Petunias



Dwarf Nasturtiums

### New Giant Single Fringed Petunias

**GIANT FRINGED MIXED.** In great variety of color and with deeply fringed and ruffled edges. Price, per packet, 15 cents.

**BLOTCHED AND STRIPED.** A fine strain, flowers beautifully blotched, striped and marked. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**VENOSA, OR VEINED VARIETIES.** Flowers of delicate shade of pink and white, veined from the throat to the edge of the petals. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**FANCY STAR.** All shades of rose, crimson and magenta, strikingly marked with a bold, clear-cut white star. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**COUNTESS OF ELLSMERE.** A beautiful flower of a most exquisite color, pure glistening pink like a La France Rose, with white throat. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**PURE WHITE.** Fine, pure white flowers. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**FINE MIXED.** Price, per packet, 10 cents.



## JAPANESE MORNING GLORIES



*Japanese Morning Glories*

### POPPIES

**SNOWDRIFT.** Beautiful heads of snowy white flowers. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**FAIRY BLUSH.** New variety; delicate blush color. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**GOLDEN GATE.** Large flowers of every conceivable form and color. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**NEW CARDINAL.** Enormous; double; cardinal-scarlet flowers. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**SHIRLEY MIXED.** Double and single flowers, frequently measuring over four inches in diameter; all colors. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**IMPROVED DOUBLE CARNATION MIXED.** Improved strain, wide diversity of distinct shades and colors. Exceedingly double, beautifully fringed petals. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**PEONY FLOWERED MIXED.** Immense double flowers, resembling a Peony. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

The set of Seven Poppies for 25 cents.

### HARDY PERENNIAL POPPIES

**GIANT ORIENTAL POPPIES.** A charming summer-flowering plant, producing numerous leafy stems about two and a half feet high; deep crimson flowers, having a conspicuous black blotch on each petal. One of the most showy and useful of this interesting and popular family. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**ICELAND POPPIES.** Perfectly hardy and produce an endless profusion of flowers. Of very graceful neat habit; bright green, fern-like foliage, formed in tufts, from which issue slender stalks about twelve inches in height, surmounted by yellow, white, orange-scarlet flowers. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

The robust vines attain a height of from 30 to 50 feet. The foliage is luxuriant, distinct, and varied mostly green, but many leaves are mottled light and dark green, white and gray.

But the surpassing charm of these "Giant Japanese Morning Glories" lies in the entrancing beauty and large size of the flowers; they measure from 3 to 4 inches across. The colors of the flowers, shadings and markings are limitless. Some flowers are of deep, rich, velvety colors, others daintily tinted and shaded. There are reds from soft rose to crimson and garnet; daintiest blue to purple; snow-white to silver-gray, new terra cotta and coffee-colored shades. Some flowers are striped, blotched and spotted; others have magnificent edges and throats.

**IMPERIAL JAPANESE MIXED.** Price, per packet, 15 cents.

### BRAZILIAN MORNING GLORIES

The flowers are of very satiny texture, of a beautiful red-violet shade. A splendid sort. Leaves gigantic and flowers equally so. The best vine known to cover a large space quickly. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

### MOONFLOWER

(Ipomeas)

**TRUE WHITE MOONFLOWER**

Price, Per Packet, 10 Cents

**HEAVENLY BLUE MOONFLOWER.** Immense flowers of pale sky-blue shade; very beautiful, especially when planted with White or True Blue. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

### VESTAL'S SUPERB MARIGOLDS

These old-fashioned favorites are annuals of the very easiest culture. Both the French and African classes are very effective, the former have the small, velvety flowers, in pretty combinations of yellow, brown, maroon and striped effects; the African sorts are the enormous flowered ones, in very showy orange and lemon shades. Both kinds are most popular for beds and borders, and planted in large blocks are very attractive. They bloom profusely all summer. Start the seed early in a box in the house or plant directly in the garden when the weather is warm. Fine as cut flowers. French sorts make nice pot plants.

**ORANGE PRINCE.** Immense double flowers of bright rich orange color; very fine. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**LEMON QUEEN.** Large, very double flowers of light lemon-yellow; a new and very fine variety. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**AFRICAN MIXED.** All colors. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**DWARF FRENCH MIXED.** Many colors. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

### PANSIES

**FINE MIXTURE OF GIANT PANSIES (Maxima Mixture).** In this we offer you the finest mixture of pansies yet produced. The flowers are all giant, exquisitely veined, shaded and blotched, embracing all the colors known in Pansies and many new shades. The variety is endless, so that in a large bed no two plants have flowers alike. Price, per packet, 25 cents.

**NEW ENGLISH PANSIES, ENGLISH PRIZE.** This mixture is saved from the finest prize collection of Pansies in England. The size of flowers and brilliancy of coloring can not be described. Price, per packet, 25 cents.

**NEW MAMMOTH MIXTURE.** Our own mixture of the best varieties, and in it you will find every color, in flowers of good size and most prolific in bloom. Each year this mixture is improved by having newer imported varieties added. Packet, 10 cents.

Jos. W. Vestal & Son, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sirs: The Roses recently ordered of you came today in perfect condition. I am delighted to have such fine sturdy plants.

Jan. 22, 1921.

Yours truly,

Mrs. P. S. L., Crowley, La.



# VESTAL'S BEAUTIFUL SWEET PEAS

**OUR NEW MIXED SWEET PEAS.** This surpassing mixture includes the very finest and most distinct varieties now in cultivation. No strain offered will give better results and all who buy will be more than pleased.

## VESTAL'S "PRIZE" MIXTURE OF GRANDIFLORA, OR LARGE FLOWERING SWEET PEAS

This superb mixture is our special pride. During the several years we have sold it, it has been our constant aim to improve and perfect it. The different kinds and sorts contained in this mixture are grown separately, so that we have an opportunity to choose only the largest and most beautiful varieties. These we mix ourselves in proper proportions for the most brilliant effect. It embraces the finest American and Eckford varieties, as well as the latest novelties, and will produce a great abundance of giant flowers of beautiful colors. Some are edged, mottled, blended, flaked and striped. Without exception, this is the very finest mixture it is possible to make. We recommend that our customers buy these seeds by weight and plant liberally. *Price, per packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; pound, \$2.00.*

## LARGE FLOWERING SWEET PEAS (Improved)

We offer below a list of the best varieties of Sweet Peas now grown. In our selection we have the clearest, most distinct shades—that stand in the sun—and do not fade quickly when cut. Get a splendid supply of new seed, as nothing can be more satisfactory. Sow seed as early in the spring as ground can be worked, so that plants get an early start. Cut blooms as fast as they appear, which prevents them seedling. Seeding stops the blooming. *Price, per pkt., 5 cents; seven packets for 25 cents.*

### DOROTHY ECKFORD.

The grandest pure white yet introduced. Extra large flowers, beautiful shell shape; purest white. Vines produce an enormous amount of bloom.

**JANET SCOTT.** This might almost be called a new shade of rich pink. The unusual size of the wings give the flower an enormous size.

**SUNPROOF SALOPIAN.** Finest, most brilliant scarlet, never changing colors.

**KING EDWARD VII.** Most gorgeous large flowers; rich blood-scarlet; new and unrivaled.

**BLACK KNIGHT.** Large flowers of the finest texture; a bright shining reddish-maroon, very striking. A very desirable color.

**SYBIL ECKFORD.** Delicate bluish pink and lemon yellow, changing to pink.

**ST. GEORGE.** Rich salmon-orange; very brilliant.

**LOTTIE ECKFORD.** Large blossoms, shaded light blue on white ground, edged purple; new.

**FLORA NORTON.** A beautiful rich lavender; one of the most pleasing shades; very large flower.

**CAPT. OF BLUES.** A grand flower of bright indigo-blue; the wings are a lighter shade of blue, extra large flower.

## VESTAL'S SPECIAL BLEND SPENCER SWEET PEAS

*If Planted Now They Will Blossom Forth in a Riot of Brilliant Beauty During May and June*

Among recent Sweet Pea novelties there has appeared nothing finer than the new race of Orchid Flowering or Countess Spencer Peas.

They are distinguished for their gigantic size—usually measuring two inches across. The bold, erect standards, which are uniformly waved, crimped and fluted in exquisite fashion, the charming blending of harmonious colors, the exceedingly long stems, which make them excellent for cutting; the great profusion of flowers and the large number on the stems, usually three or four, make this type so superior in every way that we believe it is certain to supersede the old varieties.

The Sweet Peas in our SPECIAL SPENCER BLEND are made up of the finest named Spencer varieties and range in color from the purest white to shades of pink, lavender, blue, yellow and crimson, and are just the kind to make your garden a success.

It is the very best blend possible to produce and will surely delight all who want a great variety of colors.

*Price, per packet of 110 to 125 seed, 20 cents; per ounce, 40 cents, postpaid.*

## Vestal's Giant Spencer Sweet Peas

*Price, per packet, 15 cents; per ounce, 50 cents, for any named Spencer Sweet Peas.*

**ASTA OHN.** Pinkish lavender.

**BLANCHE FERRY SPENCER.** The popular old "Painted Lady" pink and buff on standard, while the wings have prominent blotches, of a brighter pink near base.

**COUNTESS SPENCER.** Bright clear pink on white ground.

**FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.** Clear lavender.

**FLORENCE MORSE SPENCER.** A light pink edged Countess Spencer.

**GEORGE HERBERT.** Bright rose carmine of large size.

**HELEN LEWIS.** Orange, wings rose salmon.

**KING EDWARD SPENCER.** Rich crimson waved.

**KING WHITE.** A superb white.

**OTHELLO SPENCER.** The popular shade of deep maroon; rich.

**PRIMROSE SPENCER.** Primrose or creamy yellow.

**ROYAL PURPLE.** The best purple Spencer Sweet Pea.

**SENATOR SPENCER.** Deep claret or chocolate.

**VERMILLION BRILLIANT.** Waved. A rich crimson to scarlet.

**WEDGEWOOD.** Unique shade of lovely light blue.

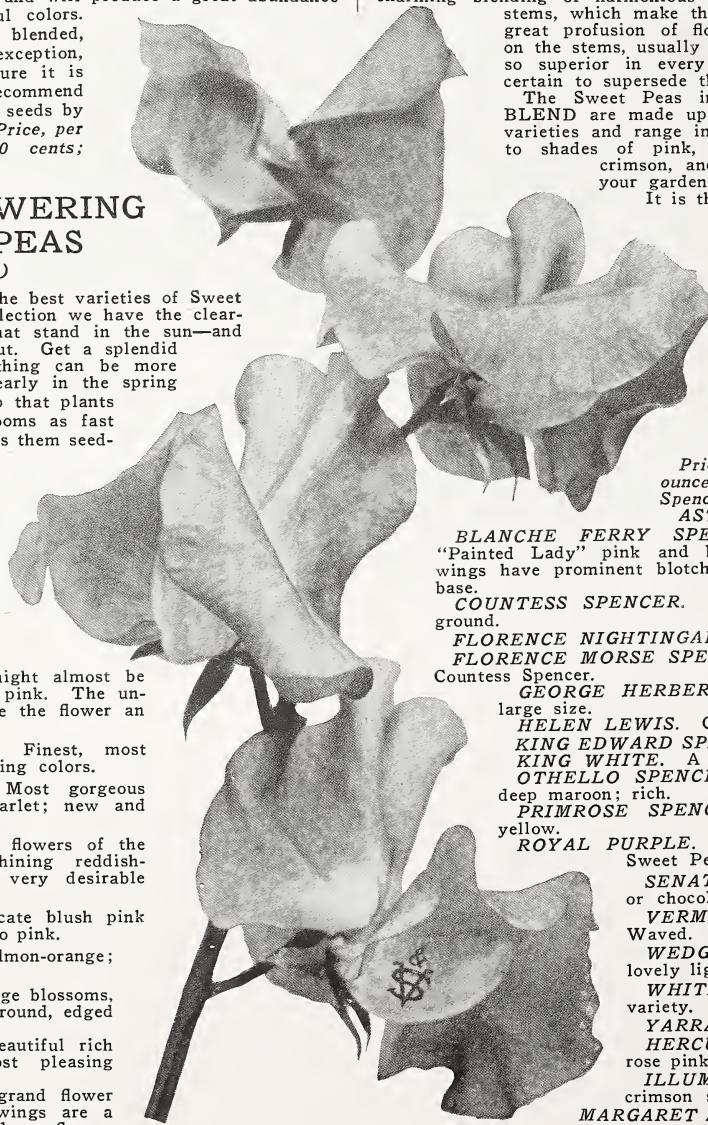
**WHITE SPENCER.** White waved variety.

**YARRAWA.** A bright rose pink.

**HERCULES.** A magnificent soft rose pink.

**ILLUMINATOR.** A rose cerise crimson salmon.

**MARGARET ATLEE.** A glowing pink on a cream ground.







## Phlox Drummundi

It occupies a first place as a garden annual, being one of the most brilliant and at the same time one of the easiest and most satisfactory plants, which can readily be grown from seed. It will grow and thrive in any kind of soil if given a sunny position, but prefers a light, rich loam. Seed may be sown in the open ground any time after danger from frost is past, and in a few weeks they are in a sheet of bloom, remaining so until frost. They may be used in a variety of ways, such as a carpet to beds of roses, in beds or borders, that they show to best advantage. Price, per packet, 10 cents; two packets, 15 cents; five packets, 30 cents.

**CARNEA.** Delicate rosy-flesh color.

**SNOW STORM.** Large flowering, pure white.

**GLOWING CRIMSON.** Beautiful shade of brilliant crimson.

**BRILLIANT ROSE.** True bright pink.

**COCCINEA.** Bright scarlet.

**GOLDEN GLOW.** Beautiful rich yellow.

**VIOLET.** Dark violet or purple.

**STARRED AND FRINGED PHLOX.** Most distinct and striking. The flowers have a star-like appearance, white margins border the edges of the petals. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

J. W. VESTAL & SON, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Dear Sirs: Your letter of inquiry received and was very sorry to hear of your misfortune, but congratulate myself on having received my order. Many thanks to you for the extras, which certainly was a surprise and appreciated very much. All plants were in fine condition.

February, 1920. Oblige, Mrs. M., Houston, Texas.

## PHLOX GRANDIFLORA, MIXED

We believe the Grandiflora mixed to be the grandest strain ever introduced. It grows neat and compact; flowers of uniform size, produced in greatest profusion. The colors embraced in this mixture show a wonderful diversity, comprising 28 distinct shades and markings. Price, per packet, 10 cents; seven packets for 60 cents.

## ZINNIAS

No flowers are more easily grown from seed in the open ground, and few bloom so continuously throughout the entire summer. Those acquainted only with the old-time Zinnias will be surprised at the perfection to which the newer strains have attained.

### MAMMOTH FLOWERED ZINNIAS

**MAMMOTH PINK.** The largest and handsomest Zinnia known; flowers are deep pink; very striking. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**MAMMOTH SNOW QUEEN.** Very large pure white flowers, which are fine for cemetery planting. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**MAMMOTH GOLDEN QUEEN.** Large flowers of pure, clear lemon yellow. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**MAMMOTH CRIMSON JACQUEMINOT.** Large flowers of velvety texture and rich crimson shade; extra fine. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**MAMMOTH MIXTURE.** A mixture of the large-flowering type, in which are the white, yellow, gold, scarlet, crimson and purple. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER.** One packet each of the Five Mammoth Zinnias for 40 cents.

### OTHER TYPES OF ZINNIAS

**CRESTED AND CURLED.** Curiously twisted petals, giving the flower the appearance of a small Japanese Chrysanthemum. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**BUTTON, RED-RIDING-HOOD.** This little gem grows but a foot high; of compact form, and covered the entire season with little button-like intense scarlet, very double flowers not over an inch across; as a border it is highly effective. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**NEW GIANT ZINNIA PICOTEE.** This novelty is the most attractive thing in all the race of Zinnias. The flowers are of the Giant type, each petal distinctly tipped with a darker shade as in Picotee Carnations. They come in a variety of colors, including orange, flesh, lemon, pink and cerise, each with the peculiar marking on tips of petals. This is an odd, yet wonderfully beautiful, Zinnia. We offer in mixture only, can not supply separate colors. Picotee Mixed. Packet, 25 cents.



Zinnias.



# VESTAL'S MAMMOTH FLOWERING VERBENA SEED



If it were possible, it would seem to us that Verbenas are becoming more popular every year. The plants thrive in any good garden soil, and if grown from seed are much more vigorous than if started from cuttings. Verbenas will flower perfectly from seeds.

**MAIL US YOUR ORDER NOW. DO NOT DELAY, AS WE ARE ANXIOUS FOR YOU TO HAVE A BEAUTIFUL GARDEN.**

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## SALVIA

The Salvia is now a standard bedding plant, and well deserves its honor. Seed is best started under glass, though self-sown seed frequently comes up in great numbers where a bed of these plants has been the previous year.

**SPLENDENS.** Large, scarlet; exceedingly showy and useful for cutting and for ornamental beds. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

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A new dwarf, extra early flowering variety. The plant itself rarely grows over a foot high, while the erect spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers average a foot in length, making the total height of the plant when in full bloom between 20 and 24 inches by about the same in diameter. This new variety is most highly valued because it begins to bloom many weeks before the older sorts; continues a veritable "ball of fire" throughout the summer and fall. Price, per packet, 20 cents.

## VINCA ROSEA

(Madagascar Periwinkle)

Ornamental free-blooming plants. Seed must be sown early and plants will bloom first summer. Can be taken up in fall like Chrysanthemums, then potted and kept in bloom through winter.

**ALBA.** White, with rose eye. Packet, 10 cents.

**ALBA PURA.** Pure white. Packet, 10 cents.

**ROSEA.** Rose with dark eye. Packet, 10 cents.

**MIXED.** Price, per packet, 10 cents.



## General List of Vestal's Superb Flower Seeds

**LOBELIA.** Bushy plant with masses of bright winged shaped flowers.

**Compacta. Mixed Colors.** Bush form suitable for borders. 5 cents per packet.

**Gracilis.** Fine mixed. Climbing variety suitable for boxes and baskets, all shades of blue. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**PYRETHRUM.** Foliage plant for borders or ornamental beds. **Aureum (Golden Feather).** Bright golden foliage. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**Selaginoides.** Leaves very finely cut. Price, 10 cents packet.

**NICOTINA SANDERAE.** New Carmine Tuberosc-flowered Tobacco. 10 cents per packet. Grows about two feet high; handsome carmine-red flowers; very fragrant.

**PLATYCODON (Hardy Chinese Bell Flower).** Flowers are bell shaped and come in all colors. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**PORTULACA, or SUN MOSS.** Does best in light sandy soil and sunny situation.

**Double Mixed.** Flowers perfectly double; fine for bedding. Price, 10 cents.

**Single Mixed.** All colors, profuse bloomers. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**PASSION FLOWER.** A very beautiful flowering vine easily raised from seed. Too well known for description. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**RUEPPELIANUM.** Purple fountain grass, with purple plumes. Packet, 5 cents.

**LONGISTYLUM.** Silver-plumed grass. Like the purple-plume grass, only silver white plumes. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**SALPIGLOSSIS (Velvet Plant).** Blooms in the fall, having funnel-shaped flowers. Very showy border plant. Grandiflora mixed. 5 cents per packet.

**SCHIZANTHUS.** Plants compact growth, one and one-half feet high with butterfly-like flowers; very showy. Price, 25 cents per packet.

**STOCKS (Gilliflower).** Very fragrant flowers, fine for cutting.

**Perpetual White.** Price, 10 cents per packet.

**Perpetual Mixed.** Price, 10 cents per packet.

**Large Flowered Dwarf German Mixed,** 5 cents per packet.



Sweet William



Straw Flowers

**STRAWFLOWERS (Everlasting). Batchelor's Button.** Flowers globed shaped, very double, white, pink, rose, purple and striped; very good bloomers. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**Helichrysum.** (Strawflower fine for winter bouquets.) Cut before the buds expand. Mixed colors. 5 cents per packet.

**Rhodanthe.** The lovely everlasting either in the garden or for winter bouquets; flowers, white rose or crimson. 5 cents per packet.

**SUNFLOWER. Russian Giant.** Enormous double flowers of deep golden yellow. 5 cents per packet.

**Orion.** Petals curled and twisted like a Cacti Dahlia; fine for cutting. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**Double Miniature.** Dwarf plants with double round miniature pompon shaped sunflowers. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**Red Sunflower.** Something new, flowers showing the red color so much desired. Petals straight and flat, which are colored in the various shades of red with distinct circle of yellow and purple around the dark disk. Price, 25 cents per packet.

**Chrysanthemum Flowered.** Flowers entirely double, resembling in form a double Chrysanthemum. Color, bright yellow golden color. Price, 15 cents.

**SWEET WILLIAM (Dianthus Barbatus).** Double Mixed. All colors from white to deepest crimson. Price, 10 cents.

**Single Mixed.** All shades of fine single varieties. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**THUNBERGIA (Black-eyed Susan).** Rapid growing climbers, fine for vases, rustic work and for twining among heavy growing vines. All shades of color. 10 cents per packet.

**SCABIOSA (Morning Brides).** Maxima Plena. Double large flowered type, very fragrant and fine for garden decorations. Annuals, one and one-half to two feet high. Price, 10 cents packet.

**WILD CUCUMBER.** Rapid growing climber reaching about 30 feet in one season. Has beautiful clusters of sweet-scented flowers, with ornamental prickly seed pods. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**DUSTY MILLER.** Silver Leaved Centaurea. 10 cents packet.

**WALL FLOWER.** Delicious, fragrant flowers on massive spikes. Fine for beds or borders.

**Double Mixed.** Price, 10 cents per packet.

**Single Mixed.** 5 cents per packet.



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**AQUILEGIA** (Columbine). Double Varieties. Finest mixed. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

Single Varieties. Finest mixed. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

**AGERATUM** (Floss Flower). Blue Perfection. Color deep amethyst-blue. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**Grandiflora White**. Pure white. Price, per packet, 10 cents. Mixed. Consisting of white, light blue and dark blue. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**ABUTILON** (Flowering Maple). Free flowering plant with various colored beautiful drooping bell-shaped flowers. Mixed, 10 cents per packet.

**CENTAUREAS**. Cyanus. (Cornflower, Blue, Bottle, Ragged Sailor). Flowers blue, pink or white. Fine mixed, 5 cents per packet.

Double Cyanus (Double Cornflower). A handsome flower. Mixed, 5 cents per packet.

**COBOEA SCANDENS** (Cups and Saucer Vine). Price, per packet, 10 cents.

**CAMPANULA** (Canterbury Bells). Double. Mixed. 5 cents per packet.

Single. Mixed. 5 cents per packet.

**CALENDULA** (Pot Marigold). Favorite. Beautiful double giant lemon yellow flowers striped white. 5 cents per packet.

Orange King. Mammoth flowers of rich orange yellow flowers. 5 cents per packet.

**CLARKIA**. Single Mixed. All colors. 5 cents per packet. Double Mixed. All colors. 5 cents per packet.

**COWSLIP** (*Primula Veris*). A beautiful hardy spring flowering perennial; flowers of different colors such as yellow, brown edged yellow, etc. Very fragrant. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**COLEUS**. Fine Mixed. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**CANARY BIRD VINE**. A beautiful rapid climber, the charming little canary colored blossoms bearing a fancied resemblance to a bird with its wings half expanded. Price, 5 cents per packet.

**CLEOME PUNGENS** (Giant Spider Plant). Plant grows four to five feet with flowers bright rose color. Seed pods resemble a many legged spider. Price, 10 cents.

**DELPHINUM** (Hardy Larkspur). Gold Medal Hybrids. Spikes two to three feet of large flowers mostly blue shades. Price, 25 cents per packet.

**Coelestinum**. Exquisite celestial blue with white centers. A beautiful variety of new and most pleasing shade. Price, 25 cents per packet.

**DATURA** (Trumpet Flower). *Cornucopia* (Horn of Plenty). The flowers average eight inches long by five inches across. French white inside, purple outside; fragrant. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**DIGITALIS** (Foxglove). Beautiful hardy perennial. Flowers are borne on long spikes.

**Gloxiniadora Mixed**. This is the finest strain, rich in color and splendidly mottled. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**Monstroza Mixed**. Best mixture of large flowering type. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**FORGET-ME-NOTS**. Mixed Colors. Containing white, pink, pale and deep blue. Price, 5 cents per packet.

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Single Cactus Mixed. The petals are curiously quilled, giving the flower the look of Cactus blooms. All shades. Price, 10 cents.

Single Striped and Spotted. Flowers distinctly striped with slashes of contrasting color to thickly spotted. Price, 10 cents per packet.

Double Ponpon Mixed. This type of Dahlias is perfectly double and round. Blooms freely. Price, 20 cents per packet.

Double Cactus Flowered Mixed. Flowers very full and double petals curled and twisted resembling Cactus blooms. Mixed colors. Price, 20 cents.

Double Premium Mixed. Finest mixture of the large double flowering varieties. Price, 15 cents per packet.

**ESCHSCHOLTZIA** (Calif. Poppy). Flowers in all colors resembling Poppies. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Mixed. 5 cents per packet.

**Burbank's Carmine Kink**. Flowers clear carmine crimson. Blooms freely and something new and distinct. Price, 15 cents per packet.

**FEVERFEW**. A free flowering plant, bearing clusters of small double white flowers. Fine for cut flowers. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**GYPHOPHILA** (Baby's Breath). Small star-like flowers and borne in feathery-like sprays. Fine for bouquets and cutting.

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**HIBISCUS** (Marshmallow). Crimson eye with white centers. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**HYACINTH** or **JACK BEAN**. Beautiful climbing vine. Mixed. White, pink and purple flowers. Price, 10 cents per packet.

**HOP**. Japanese variegated. Strong growing climber, variegated leaves. 5 cents per packet.

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